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M D WARD, L D S.

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D. MORRICE

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HAS REMOVED HIS

LIVERY STABLES

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DOMINION HOUSE YARD,

Where he will keep nothing but first-class rigs of every description.

Office over Price's Flour and Feed Store.

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STADACONA

FIRE & LIFE INSURANCE CO.

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FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS
TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1875.

Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

This Company has now established itself and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.

(Signed) GEO J PYKE,
General Manager.

Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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Fire and Life Policies issued at moderate prices.

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THE BAKERY AND

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Apply
JAMES WILSON, Mill Point,
or GEO. C. HOLTON & Co.

NOW IS THE TIME

TO FILL YOUR

SCRAP BOOKS.

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1 do RELIEFS
1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
1 do CARD HOLDERS,

H. C. RAY,
Robertson Block, Belleville.
March 8th, 1877. d&w

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Before Taking.

DR.
WILLIAM
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CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR DEBILITY, PROSTRATION, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, Loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption, and a Premature Grave, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.

The Specific Medicine is the result of a long study and many years of experience in treating those special diseases. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent by mail on receipt of the money by addressing

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FOR want of room, Wm Dickens & Sons will remove to

BULL'S NEW BLOCK.

On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the

Baking and Confectionery Line.

Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
WM DICKENS & SONS

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst. and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

WM. JOHNSON & CO.'S
Stock of Gents' Furnishings,

BIG COAL HOUSE

MR. WM. JOHNSTON

IS authorised to CLOSE OUR BOOKS the 15th Inst

Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.

Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.

DOWNEY & POPE.
Feb 10th, 1877.

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IMPERIAL MEASURES

OF

Best Make and Material,

—AND—

STOVES

OF ALL KINDS,

CHEAPER FOR CASH!

Than Anywhere else,

AT CHOWN'S

STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.

361 Front St.,
Belleville.

☞ HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

DOORS! DOORS!

MADE on honor of 1½ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT

THOMAS McRae's

STEAM PLANING MILL,

Sash, Door, and Blind Factory

Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.

PLANING,
MATCHING,
GROOVING, &c., &c.

and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.

Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.

EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!

CONTRACTS

Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.

Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be

PROMPTLY FILLED

THOMAS McRAE
Bellev Dec 20, 1875.

NEW SPRING STOCK!

—OF—

BOOTS AND SHOES,

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE KINGSTON

Panitentiary Boot & Shoe Store

CONSISTING OF

GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S

Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of

Gents' Walking BOOTS,

Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS.

ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,

All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash.

No. 367 FRONT STREET.

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
Mar. 14th, 1877.

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FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.

This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.

Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.

1st It is well known, having been established over five years.

2nd, It is conveniently situated

3rd. It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.

N. B.—Possession of Wood Yard can be given immediately.

I. J. LOCKWOOD.
Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

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A Magnificent Assortment of

UNION CARPETS,

NEW PATTERNS,

—AT—

50, 60 & 75c PER YD.

Call and see them. They are the Cheapest ever offered in Belleville.

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Belleville, March 21, 1877.

Arrived

THIS DAY.

100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,

CHEAP

—AT—

W. R. M'RAE & CO'S

Wholesale Dealers.

FOR CASH ONLY.
CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,

GROCERIES

AND

PROVISIONS

AT

THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.

☞ Call at once for Bargains.

J. McGUIRE.

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FRESH HADDOCK.
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,

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GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb 12th, 1877

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UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS,
Sail every Saturday from
NEW YORK AND GLASGOW (via Londonderry)
AND LONDON DIRECT.

RATES OF PASSAGE payable in U.S. Currency NEW YORK TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, BELFAST, or LONDONDERRY.

Cabins, $65 to $80, according to accommodations. Excursion Tickets, $120 to $140.

NEW YORK AND LONDON (direct). Cabins $55 to $70. Excursion Tickets, $100 to $120.

STEERAGE always as low as by any other line.

The Passenger accommodations of Anchor Steamers are unsurpassed for elegance and comfort

Company's offices, 7 Bowling Green, N Y

Agent, E. W. DAVY, Front St.
Opposite the Market, Belleville.
Oct. 4th, 1876.

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We have Just Received an assortment of

THERMOMETERS!

MADE BY

The Howard Manufacturing Company,

Especially esteemed for their accuracy.

L W YEOMANS & CO

Front, opposite Hotel St.

Or N. E. Corner Bridge and Front Streets.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Grocers, under the name and style of "Moore & Cox," at Belleville, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John Cox, by whom all claims against the said partnership will be settled.

GEO. W. MOORE.
JOHN COX,

Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.

WITNESS—H. PRETTY.

ELEPHANT

CLOTHING STORE.

C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs. BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days, with a magnificent stock of

BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,

AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.
March 12, 1877.

BAY CITY

MABRLE WORKS,

J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.

THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has

REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS

To Condon's Block,

East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of

MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,

and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.

SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,

always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.

Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station, Pinnacle Street, Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.

J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

FRESH FISH!
FRESH OYSTERS!

ROSS & DAVIES

Have received and offer for sale

FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.

R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers

THE CELEBRATED

D
IAM
OND B
RAN
D

OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior

SUGAR CURED HAMS,

From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.

ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Feb. 2nd, 1877.

GEORGE E. SMALL

PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant,

BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET,
Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.

Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.

March 3, '77, tf

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Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW

SCOTCH TWEEDS,

WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,

WORSTED COATINGS,

SPRING OVERCOATINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY

GIVE ME A CALL.

April 22nd, 1876.

Christmas Goods.

500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,

TO BE SOLD AT COST

Within the Next TEN DAYS

At the store of the Late

JOHN TEMPLETON

FRONT STREET.
WILLIAM TEMPLETON.

CITY BOOK BINDERY.

BOOK BINDING.
BOOK BINDING.

ALL STYLES

—DONE—

Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously

AT THIS OFFICE.

JAMES J. LANDY,
MANAGER.

REMOVAL OF BUSINESS.

B. SNUGGS'.

FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square.

Every Kind of Fish in Season,

From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.

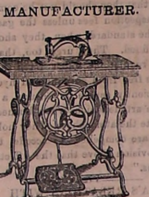
Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.

Received this day - SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS

B SNUGGS
Fish and Poultry Dealer,
Market Square.
April 18th, 1876

JAS. BARRETT,

SEWING MACHINE
MANUFACTURER.



ALSO DEALER IN

THE BARRETT PAT.,
SINGER FAMILY,
SINGER MANUF'G,
HOWE MANUF'G,
IRWIN FAMILY,
LAWLER FAMILY,
WHEELER & WILSON
WANZER, &c. &c.

PARTIES desirous of obtaining a FIRST-CLASS SEWING MACHINE should call and examine the above machines before purchasing elsewhere, as all are manufactured of the best material, and are fully tested before leaving the Factory, and GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION. FACTORY AT G. & J. BROWN'S.

ALL KINDS OF STITCHING DONE TO ORDER AT THE OFFICE.

Agents wanted where there is not already an agency, also a good travelling Agent wanted. Repairs promptly attended to.

OFFICE,—Three doors north of Dollar Store, Belleville.

E. BARRETT, Gen. Agt.
Belleville, Aug. 9th, 1876.

EXTRA CHOICE

SUGAR CURED HAMS

BREAKFAST BACON,
SPICED ROLLED BACON,
DRIED BEEF,

JUST RECEIVED.

GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb. 1st, 1877.

A FAMILY OF FIENDS.

The Keeler Atrocities Recited.

A Horrible Story from the County of Dundas.

On the 24th inst. Albert Samuel Keeler, Edward Keeler, Mrs. Cory, *nee* Annette Jane Keeler, John Valk, *alias* Bedstead, husband of Abigail Keeler, the sister of the other prisoner, were arraigned in the Magistrate's Court in Cornwall charged with the murder of Isaac Keeler, the father of the family, in 1870, and of John Cory, husband of Annette Jane, in 1871. Albert Samuel and Edward Keeler were also arraigned on a charge of incest, their sister Annette being the female party of the second part. The principal features of this horrible case have already been published in the *Free Press* immediately after the arrest of the gang. The details are briefly as follows:—In 1870 Albert Samuel (familiarly known as Abby Sam) and Edward Keeler, Mrs. Cory and her husband John Cory, and Valk Bedstead and his wife, *nee* Abigal Keeler, lived with the head of the family, Isaac Keeler, in a lonely section of the Township of Matilda, County of Dundas. Isaac was an old man of 70, very infirm and reputed to be rich. He owned five hundred acres of excellent land in Matilda, and his two sons and two daughters, with the husbands of the latter, helped him on the farm. In June, 1870, he died suddenly. An inquest was held and the family arrested, but released, there being no proof that they had killed him, although the medical testimony shows that he died of severe bodily injuries. In April, 1871, John Cory, husband of Annette, suddenly disappeared. The remaining five members of the family were arrested, but released, the Crown having no evidence to offer against them. Last year Abigail, the wife of Bedstead, died. After death the crowd began to quarrel, one accusing the other of murder. On the 21st inst. Edward came to this town, the county town of the united counties of Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry, and laid information before Dr. Allen that his brother, Abby Sam, and Bedstead, his brother-in-law, had, in 1871, murdered Cory. Abby Sam and Bedstead were at once arrested, when the former made an affidavit that his brother Edward and Bedstead were Cory's murderers, and also the murderers of their father, Isaac, and that Annette was an accessory after the fact in both cases. Annette was then arrested, and she made a clean breast of the whole story, briefly as follows:—In June, 1870, the family determined to kill the old man. One night he was out in the stable, and they drew lots for the job of killing him there and then. Abby Sam was "elected," and, arming himself with a club, he went into the stable and felled his father with a blow. Then he struck him repeatedly, and left him for dead. An hour afterward the whole gang went into the stable expecting to find the old man a corpse; but although his head was terribly battered, he was still alive. The others would have finished him, but Annette threatened to alarm the neighborhood. The injuries inflicted on the old man rendered him crazy for a time. No doctor was sent for, the patient gradually recovering of his own accord. In July he was able to walk, and fearing that he would take an opportunity to make the matter known, the crowd agreed to put him out of the way. Edward and Abby Sam sawed a step ladder leading into the cider-mill, and the old fellow was sent there. The ladder of course collapsed, and he fell ten or twelve feet. Then Edward, Abby Sam, and Cory, Annette's husband, piled on him and killed him. They then announced that he had been killed by a fall, and buried him, a few neighbors being present. Subsequently, as already stated, they were arrested and acquitted. After this they quarrelled among themselves respecting the division of the old man's money, Cory making himself particularly disagreeable. In April, 1871, the others agreed to kill Cory. While he was asleep in bed one night, drunk, Abby Sam, Edward and Bedstead struck him on the head with a hammer, gagged him with a stick, bound him hard and fast with a logging chain, put him aboard a boat (the house is on the banks of the St. Lawrence River), rowed out into the middle of the river, and dropped him in. That settled Cory. It was then given out that he had gone to Ogdensburgh. They were arrested and acquitted. There then remained Abby Sam, Edward, Bedstead, Abigail, Bedstead's wife, and Annette, and they continued together in the homestead. Abby Sam proposed that they should run the house on the Oneida community principle, and the two women agreeing, the whole crowd have slept together in a bed made on the floor ever since. It was about Annette that Edward and Abby Sam quarrelled, and the former to be revenged of Sam, laid information against him. Abby Sam is 35 years old; Edward, 37; Bedstead, 34; Annette, 30; and Abigail, 28. In intellect they are a crowd of brutes, and moral perceptions has no place in their natures. Ever since Cory disappeared, in 1871, the most frightful stories have been travelling the rounds of the country side about these people, and a boatman now comes forward and swears that he saw the three male prisoners drowning Cory, but fear of their vengeance prevented him from coming forward at the previous trial. Dr. Allen, the police magistrate of Cornwall, examined Annette, and having elicited the statement given above, committed the whole gang for trial at the coming Assizes on the charge of murdering Cory, the murder of the old man to be pressed should the Cory case break down, which it is not likely to do. Annette will be accepted as Queen's informer.

HARD FOR THE TEACHERS.

The Quebec "blue book" on education, published by Mr. Chauveau, contains some facts which have an interest for us. While complaint has existed in Ontario—and very properly so—that those devoted to the task of education in the public schools are too often underpaid, yet their fate is a far more enviable one by comparison than that of their fellow teachers in the sister Province. It seems that there are 115 male and 1,722 female teachers in Quebec, who receive an annual salary of less than $100; 374 males and 2,544 females with less than $200; and 480 males and 345 females with less than $400 a year. Subtracting from these 969 male teachers, 536 who belong to religious communities, there are 433 laymen who work for a stipend of less than $400 a year—only 219 men and 50 women receiving more than $400. The question may be asked: "Is this all that they are worth?" because, if so, is it not quite time that a more desirable element should be introduced? No wonder that an unfavorable comparison is drawn in the matter of newspapers and letters, when the scholastic corps are of a type to be contented with so miserable a pittance.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 2.

THE necessary steps for contesting Mr. Langevin's election have been taken, information to that extent having reached Ottawa.

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DURING the sitting of the Northern Railway Committee, on Thursday, the item which lately appeared in the *Globe* with reference to the Cumberland testimonial was considered. Mr. Bowell forcibly condemned the practice of members of Parliament supplying information of the kind to reporters. Mr. Guthrie having quietly asked the member for North Hastings whether it was Mr. Bowell himself who had given the information, seeing that he was a member of the "fourth estate," the latter flew in a passion and scornfully denied that he had anything to do with the press. The impression left upon those present was that he (Mr. Bowell) thought it was a disgrace to be such. This is all the more strange, knowing as we do that it was his connection with the press that elevated Mr. Bowell to the Dominion Parliament, and that he still retains a controlling interest in his pocket organ, the Belleville *Intelligencer*.

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MAYOR WALLER, of Ottawa, won the admiration of all good citizens by his judicious counsel on St. Patrick's Day, when addressing the Society, as President of the St. Patrick's Literary Association. Instead of indulging in the treasonable balderdash of "the patriot Luby," and such-like liberators of Ireland and the oppressed Irish, Mr. Waller talked sensibly about things as they really exist, and advised his hearers to discourage every intimation of "Scotch ascendency" or any other national favoritism in Canada. He showed that nowhere else had Irishmen greater or equal privileges in the battle of life than here, and that it depended entirely on their own individual exertions whether they took the lead or lagged behind. For this wise counsel he is violently and most offensively abused by the *Irish Canadian*, a journal that has won a reputation for recklessness and inconsistency, and the maledictions of which are harmless.

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As the Secret Service mystery is probed and examined, dates, with their accompanying figures, are brought to the surface which very reasonably excite some speculation. During Sir John's tenure of office, since Confederation, many thousands of dollars have annually disappeared for what the public was led to believe necessary measures of protection. There are now grave reasons to believe that the funds thus employed, or a large share of them, were appropriated to purposes other than those specified in the Secret Service contract. Sir Hugh Allan's princely donations to the election expenses of the Conservative party in 1872 were not the only assistance of a similar nature received. Perhaps, however, the money voted for Secret Service purposes was made available to help impecunious "young fellows" who were anxious to assist Sir John, at previous and subsequent dates to the Pacific Railway Scandal.

SOUTH ONTARIO.

The motion for papers, &c., relating to the Ontario Bank and Government deposits therein resulted adversely to the claims of the Opposition; but that does not prevent the party organs repeating what has been shown to be void of truth. The member for South Ontario endeavored to make a point by declaring that he had good and sufficient authority for saying that Mr. Simpson used the influence of the Bank in securing his (Mr Gibbs') defeat in 1874. Though Mr. Blake pointed out the utter inconsistency of such a charge, and gave proof to the contrary, the organs are duly magnifying all that Mr. Gibbs is reported to have said, and insist that not only in South Ontario, but in other and contiguous ridings, the funds of the Bank were used against Conservative nominees. It is not so long since the election of 1874 that Mr. Gibbs and his sympathizers should suppose that people have forgotten all about what transpired in South Ontario. The facts are on record that immediately after Mr. Cameron was declared elected every possible effort was made by Mr. Gibbs and his Committee to find evidence to protest the election, and for this purpose a large fund was subscribed. The effort was not abandoned until after the last stone had been twice turned without discovering anything beneath. Then a general meeting of Mr. Gibbs' followers was called, and the situation discussed in all its aspects. The conclusion arrived at was, that there was not sufficient evidence upon which to found an indictment, and so the protest was dropped. In the face of these facts, patent to every person who has paid the least attention to recent political history, Mr. Gibbs can make statements which he knows are void of truth. The means by which he secured his late election, by the narrow majority of 38 over an outsider, are not unknown, and it is questionable whether he now sits in the House as the choice of a majority of the electors of South Ontario.

—The Juvenile marble brigade has been recruited to prodigious proportions since the schools closed.

Editorial Notes.

INSPECTOR LANGMUIR will probably indict the Middlesex County Council for maintaining the gaol in its present condition.

THERE is one exchange on our list that never comes to us dull and uninteresting. The "Old *Whig*" is growing younger and brighter daily.

MR. REEVES, of Toronto, has sold to Messrs. Samuel, of New York, six hundred head of fine, stall-fed cattle, for the English market.

MR. C. K. GRAHAM, a member of the local staff of the *Mail*, who is about leaving for the West, was entertained by his fellow workmen at the Walker House Saturday evening.

A BOY named Thompson while playing on the ice at Montreal, on Saturday slipped and fell head foremost into the current. He was instantly carried under the ice.

OPPOSITION journals, as a rule, ignore the doings of the Secret Service and Northern Railway investigation Committees. They do not furnish pleasant reading from their point of view.

MR. HENRY COTTON, for a long time Chief Clerk in the Governor-General's Department, but lately superannuated, died suddenly on Saturday while conversing with his son. Heart disease.

ABOUT 12 o'clock Thursday night the hotel known as the Northern Railway Hotel, at Thornhill, belonging to Mrs. Battery, and occupied by O. G. Thompson, was totally destroyed by fire; also the sheds and stables. The origin of the fire is unknown; insured in the Western.

THE engineers appointed by the Suspension Bridge Companies to examine and report upon the state and stability of the bridge have completed their duty, and reported on Saturday to the effect that the bridge is entirely safe for the transit of regular trains, such as have heretofore used it.

ON Thursday afternoon a fatal accident occurred in the township of Colborne, about seven miles from London. Richard Cottle, a resident of Goderich, while engaged chopping in the woods was struck on the head by a falling limb and almost instantly killed, his skull being badly fractured. Deceased leaves a wife and three young children to mourn his loss.

ALL ABOUT GAS.

A telegram from Ottawa says:—"Wednesday afternoon a deputation from Hamilton, Toronto, Guelph, Belleville, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax and St. John, N. B., waited upon the Minister of Inland Revenue with regard to a new order which has been put in force by the Commissioner, Mr. Brunel. The deputation was introduced by Mr. Wood, and Mr. Platt, of the Toronto Gas Co., entered into explanations. It appears that several years ago Mr. Brunel, during a visit to Europe, inquired into the working of Gas Companies in London, Paris, Berlin and in other large and old centres of population, and became convinced that some of the exceedingly costly improvements in use there could be introduced into Canada. He recently issued a series of new regulations, which it is proposed to put in the new gas bill. These are (1st) that the Gas Companies shall pay the fee required for testing the products several times a week at works; (2nd) that the metre fees shall be altered; (3rd) and that no more than twenty grains of sulphur be contained in any shape in each one hundred cubic feet of gas. The Companies contend that they should not be compelled to pay inspection fees unless the gas falls below the standard, when they should be heavily fined. They urge too, that the present regulations which force them to make gas free from sulphur and hydrogen are sufficiently severe to ensure a good light—an article which, when burned, will not vitiate the atmosphere. They hold that if they are compelled to accede to the third provision above that the effects will be serious."

CANADA'S RELATIONS WITH ENGLAND.

MR. GOLDWIN SMITH REPUDIATED.

From the Globe.

March 31.

The *Daily Telegraph*, in an editorial, discusses Mr. Goldwin Smith's *Fortnightly Review* manifesto. It says that his judgment is rendered important by the high character of his intellectual attainments. Nevertheless the *Telegraph* sees nothing in the difficulties with which Canada has to contend to warrant the gloomy view and bold, unwelcome words used by Mr. Smith. It disagrees with Mr. Smith's estimate of Canada's commercial importance to England.

The *Telegraph* goes on to say:—"The demand for grain, timber, and petroleum from the Dominion is destined to have an indefinite expansion, while the consignments of live and dead cattle to this country (England) bid fair to transcend all the other exported commodities. Even if Canadian duties should remain stationary, they do not oppose obstacles to Canada's commercial relations with Great Britain so formidable as those caused by the tariff adopted by the United States. On the other hand, should the statesmen of the Dominion ever espouse the principle of Free Trade, towards which they happily evince a manifest leaning, Canada will furnish a more important market for British wares than at any previous period. We are under no apprehension that either annexation or union with the United States is near, as the people of the Dominion rank among the most loyal of our colonies, and betray not even the faintest wish for the severance of their connection with the British Crown. They warmly appreciate the prestige and security they enjoy as subjects of Great Britain, and we are convinced that they would be as loth to part with the Mother Country as she would be to lose them."

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—Muddy roads and vehicles will be in order till "Old Sol" puts the former through a drying process.

ANOTHER RAILROAD STRIKE.

WAR AGAINST THE BROTHERHOOD OF LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—A general strike is imminent on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad in consequence of an order issued to the employees to sever their connection with the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. To-day a secret meeting of engineers was held at which over 150 members were present. There was a determination—not expressed by vote, however—to remain in the brotherhood at all hazards. The Reading officials say they are prepared for any emergency.

WORTHY OF IMITATION.

To the Editor of the DAILY ONTARIO.

Sir,—The undermentioned parties feeling that a suitable gift should be made their teacher, Thos. M. McGowan, of Sidney Town Hall School, Sec. No. 13, for his strenuous exertions and indefatigable labors for, now nearly three years, in the advancement of their educational studies, determined, by their united exertions, to procure a lasting momento of their friendship and best wishes; therefore they united in forming a band or club, appointing Elias Ketcheson their Treasurer; began giving a series of entertaining dialogues, and readings, whereby, being cleverly patronized, they raised a sufficient sum to procure for him one of the most costly and splendid Bibles published, price $187. On the back of this beautiful book lettered in gold is the following inscription: "Presented by the Scholars of Sidney School, Section No. 13, to Thomas McGowan, Teacher."

On Friday March 23rd, last, the presentation took place (which he, the teacher, was wholly unaware of, it being a secret to him, in what manner the fund was to be disposed of) Mr. C. Dulmage proceeding to his desk made the presentation and read a most touching and feeling address, to which the following names were attached thereto, being participants in this laudable scheme:—Females, Mrs. C. Dulmage, Misses E. Petty, Frankie Johnson, Maggie Kehoe, Sarah Massey, Frankie Chisholm, Minnie Reddick, Hattie Bleecker, and Bertha Reddick. Male portion, consisting of Messrs. Lids, Thos. Ketcheson, Lyman Vandervoort, T. El. Ketcheson, Chas. Ketcheson, Wm C Ketcheson, Wm. Ketcheson and Oscar Reddick. The teacher being startled and so taken with surprise at the magnificent gift, the deep feeling, sympathy and well wishes of his friends, made a most suitable, appropriate and pathetic reply to the address, i being verbal recommending each, as they had given him the Divine precepts as a memorial and a guide, that all may study and be prepared by its Divine command to meet in a happier land.

Yours, &c., &c.
ONE WHO WAS THERE.

Dated, Sidney, March 26th, 1877.

SABBATH DESECRATION.

To the Editor of the ONTARIO.

SIR.—For several Sabbaths past I have had occasion, with my family, to pass by a certain Hotel on Front Street. Upon each occasion I have had my ears shocked by hearing the day desecrated by sounds of dance and other not sacred music coming from this same Hotel. Yesterday in conjunction with the music I heard songs sung—"Aileen Allanna"—also a song and chorus.

My reason for writing this of the matter is in order that the Chief of Police (who must know of this serious breach of the law of our land) and the Inspector of Licenses may be thus publicly drawn toward this direct insult to God and man.

A FATHER.

THE FERRY

More than half the space between this town and the Prince Edward shore is now, and has been for some time, open, or partially so. The ice is not very thick or difficult to break through. It does not appear to us that much difficulty would have been experienced in forcing or cutting a passage for the boat, and thus relieving the great inconvenience now felt by the farmers of Ameliasburgh, as well as by the people of Belleville. A mistake was made in having the boat moored for winter quarters at a locality where she must remain a considerable time beyond the real opening of navigation, owing to the impossibility of getting her out. Had she been left at the Grand Junction wharf, or some other equally suitable place, she could have been performing her regular trips for several days past, at a cost of little more than five dollars. The Town Council and the County Council of Prince Edward should consider this matter, as it is of vital importance to many. Both in the spring and fall unnecessary delay and inconvenience are experienced by the travelling public, and the trade of our town is made to suffer considerably. The Ferry has been liberally dealt with, and it is only reasonable that every possible effort should be made to meet the wishes of those most interested. Had there been opposition the boats would have been running before this.

MR. LANGTON.

The Hamilton *Times'* Ottawa correspondent says:—"There is a good deal of talk as to what should be done with Mr. Langton. It is the opinion of the majority of the members that he should be relieved from his duties. It will be remembered that during the earlier meetings of the Public Accounts Committee this session, Mr. Mackenzie had to explain that a number of entries were wrong and should have been charged under other heads than they had been. The *Mail* and other organs of its kidney seized upon this to accuse the Premier with having duped Parliament into giving him votes of money for certain popular objects, and then diverting it to others for which it would not so willingly have been granted. Mr. Mackenzie showed the utter falsity of these charges, which were attributed to bad bookkeeping. For this Mr. Langton is responsible, and the impression is that some one more capable should be appointed, for it is pretty hard that for such a person undeserved blame should be placed by malicious writers on the shoulders of those who do not deserve it. It is not impossible, too, that the entry against George Brown as to his expenses in Washington, was intentionally put in the wrong place and in a bad shape, solely to take some off the edge of the Secret Service refund by Sir John, which appeared just above it. The Brown entry should not have appeared there at all, or in the shape it did, for he did not touch one cent of the money. There are other matters with reference to Langton which may be mentioned at another time."

POLITICAL NOTES.

—As was recently developed, Sir John Macdonald's brother-in-law—while Deputy to the Minister of Justice and thus a public official—had a little dip in the corruption funds at the permanent disposal of Sir John and his associates.

—The sum and substance of the facts brought to light this session by the Commons Committees is that when Sir John was in power swindling and peculation were the regular order of the day, and that nearly all the leading members of the Tory ring had a hand in the purse of some public fund, corporation or Government contractor. Theft was made one of the fine arts.

—The "Mail" is endeavoring to divert the attention of its readers from the Secret Service and Northern Railway revelations by republishing its old copper mine slanders against Mr. Huntington. This, we presume, is the beginning of the new policy of "war to the knife" and "dirt throwing," which the "Mail's" Ottawa correspondent announced had been resolved upon.

—Let all us stockholders in the "Mail" insist upon an examination of the stock book, with a view to ascertaining how much we really do own in the concern. It is altogether likely that the subscriptions of Sir John, Senator Campbell, the Gibbes and the rest of them were paid out of the Secret Service or sweated out of some unfortunate railway company. Recent revelations go to show that none of these gentry ever thought of paying anything of a politilal sort out of his own pocket.—*Tizer.*

OPEN THE CHEESE FACTORIES EARLY.

The low price of cheese during the fall and the favorable prospects of butter induced many to take their milk from the factories and make it into butter. It was impossible for any person at that time to realize the full extent to which this was being carried on and it is only now when we find the crop of butter so very excessive and the crop of cheese short, that this united but foolish move of the dairymen of the country begins to be fully appreciated. What is to be done to work of this stock of butter? We answer, open the factories just as soon as there are now milch cows enough to make a cheese a day. Don't make a pound of butter for this market until the old stock is thoroughly exhausted. New cheese will be in demand this spring at remunerative prices. We therefore urge facterymen to open early. We learn that it is the intention of many to open by the first of April. this is a good move; the earlier the better. Keep good warm fires in your curing room, and market your cheese as fast as cured.

Dairymen, be as united in this as you were in making butter last fall, and you will help the commission merchants to work off the surplus butter, and will yourselves be benefitted by the prices you will receive for your cheese. The first that reaches the market will pay the largest profit to the owners. Let us see who will be first.—*Commission Merchants, New York.*

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having recently made an important change in our business in adopting the Strictly Cash System, we take this opportunity, on the opening of another season, to set before our customers and the public generally, some of the benefits of the Cash basis upon which we now seek to continue and extend our trade.

If the plan we propose meets with the general approval and support we anticipate, it will certainly be a benefit to ourselves, as it will undoubtedly prove an advantage to our customers.

To sell Cheaply one must buy Cheaply. With this in view we have made arrangements to pay prompt Cash ourselves for all our goods bought in Britain, thereby securing the advantage of discounts on purchases so made. And further, to save the great expense of going over to England every season, our purchases will henceforth be made by a resident buyer, one who is thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the Canadian trade, and who knows where to buy the various classes of goods the best and cheapest.

We have also secured the advantages afforded by large quantities being bought at one time. Though we are the largest importers of Dry Goods in this section of the Province, as is shown by the returns at the Custom House here, still the quantities required are not sufficient alone to give us access to the best markets. But now the person who buys for us is buying at the same time goods of a similar kind for other houses like ours throughout Canada and the United States, amounting in the aggregate to the value of from twenty to thirty times the amount of our order. By this means we get the benefit of large purchases, as well as obtain access to markets where we should be excluded if we merely had the buying of the comparatively small quantity we alone might need. And we may here mention what may not be generally known, that the terms of most of the larger manufacturers in England and Scotland are now Strictly Cash; and further, they are under obligations to the Middlemen, or Wholesale Dealers, not to sell any person under a certain quantity, generally a much larger quantity than any one retail house can handle. So, were we buying our own stock separately, even were it many times larger than it is, we should be compelled to purchase from others than first hands.

Our new stock of goods bought by us under the above arrangement is now forward, and will be found very complete, and we shall endeavour to maintain the assortment throughout the season, ordering goods as they are required. We would here invite all who may be needing articles for personal or household use to view the goods and see the prices.

We will continue to make it a rule, as we have hitherto done, that all customers on entering our premises shall be left entirely free to exercise their choice, and to buy or not, as they may see fit.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO.
Belleville, 2nd April, 1877.

FOR SALE.

100 Brls. Choice Apples.

AT

Ashley's Cheese Warehouse

G. T. R. STATION,

—AT—

$2 to $2.25 PER BBL.,

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

Also a lot of CULLS, at 50c to $1 per Bbl.

Orders left at C. F. Smith's Tin Shop, or Henry Canniff's Grocery, opposite Upper Bridge, will receive prompt attention.
Belleville, April 2nd, 1877. 7i

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,
(de PARIS) the Experienced
Ladies Hair Dresser,
ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER
And Practical Wig Maker
At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.

PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.

☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.
Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

WANTED IMMEDIATELY

FIRST-CLASS COAT HANDS,
Best Prices Paid.

T. C. TILLINGHAST,
Robertson's Block.
April 2, 1877. 3i

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,

HARDWARE STOCK
FOR SALE BY TENDER,

TENDERS for the assets en bloc of the estate of

JOHN LEWIS & CO.,

of Belleville, will be received by the undersigned until the 13th APRIL, 1877, the security offered to be named in the Tenders. The Assets consist of

Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
Book Debts " " "	5,250
Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

The stock, inventory, and list of debts can be seen, and all information obtained from Mr. James Hambly, on the premises, who is instructed to afford every facility to intending purchasers.

THOMAS DARLING,
Assignee.
182 St. James Street, Montreal, 29th March, 1877. td

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

IN BELLEVILLE, ON

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office,
TOWN HALL, BELLEVILLE,
March 29, 1877. td

EASTER SUNDAY
—:o:—
Encourage a good old English custom and wear Something New on Easter Sunday. If it be a Shirt Collar, Necktie, Silk Handkerchief, or a pair of Gloves,

A. E. FISH & CO'S
Is the Place to Get them

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

Mortgage Sale
Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which, will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD. 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particular apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

BELL & BELL,
Vendors Solicitors.
Belleville 17th March 1877. d6iw3i.

GOOD GOODS

CHEAP.
—o—
GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES
—o—
CLEARING SALE.
—o—
MAKING READY

FOR

NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No 319 Front St,

BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb 7th. 1877.

The Celebrated Imported
CLYDESDALE HORSE,
"*Scott's Fusileer,*"

The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville

FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season.

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.

People coming from a distance will be kept over night. Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.
Feb. 14th, 1877, d&w3m

MAY

HORSE

FAIR!

A GRAND HORSE FAIR
AND STALLION SHOW!

Will be held on the grounds of the

West Hastings Agricult'l Soc'ty,

BELLEVILLE,

ON the 24th of MAY,

QUEEN'S BIRTH-DAY!

When CUPS, MEDALS, and other rewards will be offered for excellence in all classes of Horses.

A track will be open to test the speed, pace and carriage of horses.

Cattle, Farm Stock, Poultry and Agricultural Implements, may be exhibited for sample, sale or barter.

An Auctioneer will be in attendance.

Agricultural Societies are solicited to select Stallions for the season.

☞ The Fair will close with a spirited game at

FOOT BALL.

The Fair will open at 10 a m. and close at 3 p.m.

T. C. WALLBRIDGE.
Super't, Public Fairs.
March 28, 1877. dlaw*wtd

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,
With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

GLASS
SYRUP JUGS
(Covered.)

17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

☞ These are New and Cheap.

F. H. ROUS & Co.

Belleville, Mar 14t, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

Post Office Block!
AT REYNOLDS'.
OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
" " LOCKETS,
BACK COMBS,
BLACK CARD BOARD,
" MOTTOES,
SHADED "
PLAIN "
SPATTERED "
FROM 7 Cents.
SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.
March 13, 1877.

Insolvent Act of 1869 and 1875.

IN the Matter of ROBERT WADSWORTH of the Town of Belleville,
AN INSOLVENT.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power vested in me as Assignee of the estate of the above-named Insolvent, I will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at my office, Number One, Temple Chambers, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on MONDAY the THIRTIETH day of APRIL, A.D. 1877, at Twelve O'Clock, noon, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named Insolvent, and of myself as Assignee of his estate of, in and to the lands and premises hereinafter described; that is to say, all and singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Three on the West side of Octavia Street, in the said Town of Belleville, according to a plan of part of Lot Two in the First Concession of the Township of Thurlow, made for the late Edmund Murney by J. J. Haslett, P.L.S., and registered in the Registry Office for the County of Hastings on the sixth day of August, A.D. 1851. There is a large two storey Brick House on the premises.

The said property is subject to three Mortgages for Five Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, Four Hundred Dollars, and Four Hundred Dollars respectively, and interest.

TERMS CASH.

For further particulars apply to
J. PARKER THOMAS,
Assignee.
Dated at Belleville the 15th February, A.D. 1877. 10ievsat

THOMAS GARDNER.

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Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. 2 Express, ... 6.50 a m
No. 4 Express, ... 6.10 p m
Mixed .. .. 9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ... 12.05 p m
No. 3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
Mixed .. .. 9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 2.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

GOLD.—New York quotations this morning were at 105.

POLICE COURT.—There was no business transacted at the Court to-day, the docket being a blank.

ARRIVAL.—The S.S. "Polynesian," from Liverpool, arrived at Halifax yesterday at 11, p. m. The mails left at 12:15 p. m.

FROM TRENTON.—Two female vagrants were brought before the Magistrates at Trenton on Saturday and committed to jail here. They are notorious characters.

WEDDING COMMEMORATION.—Mr. and Mrs. James Wood, of Sophiasburg, Prince Edward County, celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday, 27th March.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, noted for its profuse and elaborate decorations and elegant table, now offers the same accommodations at a reduction from $4 00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

THE POLICE STATION.—Four tramps lodged in the cells on Saturday night, and six received shelter there last night. No prisoners have been in the lock-up since Saturday morning.

ASSEMBLY.—The Temperance Association of the Holy Cross will hold an assembly in their hall, in the Robertson Block, this evening. A pleasant time may be expected by all who attend.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreable treatment at the Colonnade Hotel.

A CONTRAST.—One year ago to-day the sleighing was quite good and several large loads were sent out into the back country. The same thing could not be done to-day as the sleighing has entirely disappeared.

FISHING.—The fishing in the open spaces in the bay is now very good, and large hauls are made every day. Mr. G. Leavens is doing a lively trade in this line, and ships about a ton a day to different points.

MARINE FREIGHT.—Interested persons agree that the opening of navigation does not promise any improvement in marine freights. They are hopeful, however, that prospects will improve with the season—and so are we.

THE JAIL.—At present there are confined in the County Jail 24 prisoners, 19 males and 5 females. The accommodations are entirely taken up, and there is but room for one more unless the doubling up process is resorted to.

CORNER LOAFING.—We join our local contemporary in the wish that the existing law may be so amended as to permit the police to scatter the corner loafers. They have too much cheek for modest folks to face with impunity.

COLLEGE STUDENTS.—During the winter a large number of young men from different parts of the country have been with us as students at the Commercial College and Albert University. Many of them will soon leave for their homes. They are, upon the whole, an intelligent, and gentlemenly lot of men and boys.

TOWN COUNCIL.—A regular meeting of the Town Council takes place this evening at eight o'clock. Among the business to be transacted will be the amending of some clauses of several town by-laws in order to make them valid.

THE CROSSING ON THE ICE.—The crossing on the ice above Zwick's Island, though somewhat dangerous, is still used. To-day several loads of fish and a few loads of produce were brought over it in safety. However, it cannot be expected to last much longer.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The examination of Section 2 School, Sidney, took place on Thursday last, and was highly satisfactory. A large number of parents and friends of education were present. The school now numbers 70 pupils, and is in charge of Mr. P. M. White, who is an efficient teacher.

YACHT RACE.—The Kingston *News* has the following:—"We believe that arrangements are being made to have a yacht race in the harbor on the 24th of May. What has been done so far is being kept quiet, but we have no doubt that Captain Cuthbert will make it convenient to be here. He left town yesterday for New York.

SOMETHING WRONG.—In perusing the local columns of the Brockville *Recorder* we find it stated that Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination have decided to pass us by as the Opera House is engaged for Wednesday evening. There is something wrong some where as the Theatre is not engaged for that night.

PROMENADING.—The fine weather of Saturday evening brought out a large force of pedestrians, and the dollar side of Front Street presented a gay scene for several hours thronged as it was with well-dressed lads and lasses, who appeared to feel that the Spring time had indeed come.

POLICE STATISTICS.—The following which is compiled from the books of the Chief of Police, gives the statistics from the date which he took office, viz., Feb. 12th, to April 1st The subjoined gives the classes of offences and the number of offenders in each class:—13 Assault and Battery, 2 Blackmailing, 2 Child Desertion, 4 Disorderly Conduct, 33 Drunk and Disorderly, 1 Forgery, 9 Larceny, 1 Misdemeanor, 1 Wife Desertion, 11 Vagrancy, 36 Breaches of Town By Laws and 189 Protection.

VITAL STATISTICS—During the month of March there were registered at the office of Mr. Newbery, Division Registrar, 18 Births, 2 Marriages and 21 Deaths.

PRESENTATION.—Tomorrow morning Rev. Father Farrelly, V. G., will be presented with a portrait of himself, the occasion being the 20th anniversary of his consecration. Bishop O'Brien and a number of clergymen of the Diocese will be present on the occasion. Father Murphy will be presented with a purse at the same time. The choir will be present and will render some choice musical selections.

QUINTE DISTRICT ITEMS—On Thursday evening last an attempt was made to burglarize McNaughton & Co.'s store in Kingston. The burglars, however, were frightened away before they effected an entrance into the building.—A new schooner will be launched from Calvin & Breck's yard next month.—The K. & P. R. will resume running shortly.—Judge Wilkinson of Napanee, is gradually recovering from his recent illness.—The Grange Co-operative Company—headquarters at Napanee—has been incorporated with a capital of $10,000 in 1,000 shares of $10 each.—The Chancery Court closed its sittings at Kingston on Thursday last.

A GRIEVANCE.—A deputation of butchers who are lessees of stalls in the market, waited on the Police Magistrate this morning, with a view of having the grievance they labor under removed. They consider that it is unfair to them to allow meat to be sold in shops unless those who sell it pay a license for the privilege. Before the limits of the town were enlarged a by-law giving license to four shops, in the then four wards of the town, was in force, but since the town was enlarged, no change was made in the by-law. Now there are several stores in town in which meat is sold—and without license, and as the market butchers have to pay $40 each for a stall they consider they should be protected. Some definite action will take place in the course of a few days.

SHORTS.—The several churches throughout the town were largely attended, both morning and evening services.—Several gulls were flying about the bay yesterday. This is another evidence that spring is near.—Yesterday was All Fools' day, but being Sunday its follies were not practised to any great extent, though we heard of several having made useless journeys.—The croquet season will soon begin and John Henry and Araminta will soon have an opportunity to talk love on the lawn.—The public schools will reopen tomorrow.—The Shaughraun Company play in Ottawa to-morrow evening.—Harry Lindley was announced to play in Brockville on Saturday night.—Police business is very dull.—Complaints against those who stand on the street corners are loud and numerous.—The ice in the river keeps gradually moving down and with mild weather the harbor should be clear fn a week.

A NUISANCE.—By the recent decision of the Police Magistrate, corner statues are allowed to stand on the inner and outer parts of the sidewalk, and now the vicinity of Front Street at the Bridge Street crossing is daily well supplied with these "adornments," who make it a point to occupy the doorways in that locality. Smiles of gratification pass over their sturdy looking countenances as the policemen pass them by, as they know now that they are not amenable to arrest unless they act in a disorderly manner. They can comment on passers by as they choose, and expectorate tobacco juice over the sidewalk until the authorities see fit to enforce the Vagrant Act, which we hope they will soon do.

ON THE LOOK OUT.

She stood on the sidewalk about 12 p. m.
And as each passer-by went along
She would peer into his or her feature
An action unlady like and wrong.

What could she mean by such conduct as those
Such actions we're sure are quite strange
Oh why should she act so immodest and bold
Is a matter our mind can't arrange.

She appeared anxious; her face was quite pale.
And her movements were viewed with suspicion
For a good looking girl to act that way
Must be of unsound mental condition.

So pedestrians said; but for once they were wrong
Her mind was well balanced and level
She waited the coming of her own boy
Who was off on a midnight revel.

At last he come, but with faltering step:
He had drank too much gin without water
In fact we'd be excused if we said
That he had taken more than he'd oughter.

She grabbed for his topnot and yanked him right in
And her face blushed a carnival red
As she knocked him around and spit in his face
And tumbled him into his bed.
And still she is'nt happy

This and That.

—Mr. Jones M. P. for Halifax, has gone to Halifax to get married. He will return with his bride before the session is over.

—A despatch from Madrid announces that Mr. Layard, the newly-appointed British Minister to Constantinople, will leave Madrid on Tuesday.

—The espousals will shortly be solemnized of Miss Mary Morrison, daughter of Mayor Morrison, of Toronto, and Lt. Dickson, of the 13th Hussars, son of Mr. Walter Dickson, of Niagara.

—The Annual Convention of McGill College came off on Wednesday afternoon, when in medicine 19 graduated and 32 passed the primary examinations. The gold medal in medicine fell to James Bell, of North Gower, Ontario, and in law to Henry Goodhue, of Danville, Quebec.

—Rents at most places of summer resort will, it is thought, be lower this year, from the same causes as promise to bring about a welcome lowering of rents generally.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

APRIL FOOLS

CINCINNATI, O., April 2.—The Board of Aldermen assembled yesterday to join in an excursion on the new Southern R. R. in response to an April fool invitation. A number of other bogus excursions were announced and crowds hoaxed.

OAKEY HALL.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The *Herald's* London despatch reports good reason for saying that Oakey Hall has been seen on London streets. No clue yet has been found to his residence. The *Herald's* Boston despatch reports a belief in that city that Sutliff's is not Hall.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

The *Herald's* Danville, Va., special reports a freight train on the Richmond & Danville road thrown from a bridge in Halifax Co. by a bull on the track and the engineer fatally injured. The bridge and six cars were burned. Loss $8,000.

AN INDIAN ATTACK.

The *Herald's* St. Louis despatch reports the Sioux attacked a party of hunters on the Buffalo Range while the hunters were sleeping. 15 of the party were killed. Indian loss unknown.

NO RELEASE

The *Tribune* says Secretary Sherman has promptly refused applications for release from civil suits in Western whiskey cases, and ordered the prosecutions to proceed immediately.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

The *Herald* says the general impression prevails that Chamberlain will issue an address to members of his party, urging the acceptance of defeat with good nature and a general resumption of work with confidence in Hampton's promises. Hampton's letter to the President pledges equal justice to all classes, especially regarding the educational system. Rights of personal property and citizenship shall be securely guarded without reference to race, color and political difference. The withdrawal of S. C. troops is generally regarded as virtually settling the Louisiana question.

INSURRECTION SUPPRESSED.

The *Sun* says the Japanese Embassy has been notified that the Satsuma insurrection has been suddenly suppressed.

DEATH OF A GENERAL

NEW YORK, April 2.—General Addison Farnsworth died in Brooklyn yesterday. He was engaged in the Mexican and late civil wars, and was founder of the Albany *Dutchman*.

THE TWEED CASE.

The *Tribune* says Woodward is probably the only living person who can swear to any payments to Hall. Tweed can testify only to Hall's general knowledge of the fraudulent character of warrants which they jointly signed. The delay in the Tweed settlement is caused by the resignation of Mr. O'Conor from charge of the cases.

ARRESTED FOR STEALING.

Joseph Baldwin and Joseph Adams have been arrested on a charge of stealing $100,000 in bonds and stocks from a safe in the office of Mr. Jas. G. King, William St., Feb. 16th. Developments of the case are expected to implicate Wall Street detectives who were recently reduced to the ranks.

HEROIC BOY.

George McGrath, aged 8, plunged into the Harlem River yesterday and saved a drowning comrade, aged 3.

THE BULLS AND BEARS.

The *Sun* represents that Jay Gould has gone to California, by advice of his physician, Jim Keene, having cleared $700,000 by the Wall Street bear campaign.

NAVIGATION RESUMED.

Hudson River navigation was fully resumed last night. Boats are now running to Albany and Troy.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

A HOUSE-BREAKER SHOT

NORTH STONINGTON, April 2.—Hiram Green was fatally shot by Nathaniel Crumb while breaking into the latter's house.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

NEW YORK, April 2.—A Washington special says:—The President announces he will spend most of the summer at the Capital. He has a distaste for fashionable watering places

A Cincinnati carriage manufacturer tendered Hayes an $1,800 carriage, he was an old friend of the President's, but the gift was declined as the President recently bought a carriage and horse.

Bull Head McCarty, aged 55 has been arrested for enticing two girls into a house, drugging and brutally assaulting them; they are in a critical condition.

At a Cabinet meeting this a. m. the Secretary of War was directed to prepare an order transferring the troops from the Columbia S. C. State House to their camp.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 2.—More than half of the business portion of Monroville, Ohio, was destroyed last night by a fire which originated in a block of old wooden buildings. Loss $75,000; insured one half.

THE DEBT STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The debt statement shows a decrease during March of $14,107,016 41, of which $9,553,890 consists of cancelled Geneva Award bonds.

AN ORDER OF ARREST.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs recently telegraphed to the agent at San Carlos Agency, Arizona, to arrest the renegade Chiricahuas at the Southern Apache Agency, seize the stolen horses in their possession, restore the property to the rightful owners, remove the renegades to San Carlos and hold them in confinement for murder and robbery, and call on the military for aid, if necessary.

EUROPEAN.

THE FAMINE IN INDIA.

LONDON, April 2.—A special from Calcutta says:—The latest advices respecting the famine in the Madras Presidency, report an increase of 7,000 employed on the Government Relief Works, and 23,000 in the number of those charitably relieved.

LAND SLIDE IN A TUNNEL.

BRUSSELS, April 2.—The following telegram is published:—Modane, March 31.—A land slip has occurred in the Mont Cenis Tunnel, near St. Jean de Maurien. Assistance has been asked.

THURLOW TREASURERSHIP.

MR. EDITOR,—Permit me, through the medium of your excellent journal, to draw the attention of the Council of Thurlow to the importance of taking immediate steps to secure a better man for the position of treasurer. I propose to give a few of the reasons why I think the only honorable course the Council can take is at once to dismiss the present incumbent. In the first place he knows next to nothing of book-keeping. He keeps one book and places the receipts and expenditures on opposite pages, as in an ordinary cash-book. There is, as you see, no attempt at classification, and on a recent occasion it took the auditors two days to balance the book.

Auditors' report for '76 shows that he retained large balances in his hands that should have been in the bank drawing interest. The deposits at the bank were in his own name, instead of that of the corporation of which he is a servant, and in case of default or death, the most serious consequences might have followed, as the manager might very reasonably have refused to pay to the order of the Corporation, money deposited in his private name. I notice, too, that the auditors state that he credited himself with the payment of $1,000 to the County Treasurer on Nov. 25th of last year, when the facts are, that the Collector of Thurlow was the only party that made a payment of that sum during that month. Mr. Thompson insists that he did pay that amount on the date named, but as the County Treasurer received no money from him during the month of November, Mr. Thompson's statement must be taken for what it's worth. On a recent occasion, when in the presence of several rate-payers, he was questioned by the Reeve as to the balances on hand at the end of each month, and he thought it a proper thing to decline giving any such information. He has, during the whole time he has been in office,—a period of ten or eleven years,—actually refused to make a half-yearly statement of all moneys on hand, as required by law to do; and worse still, he has not, I believe, for several years, made a return to the County Treasurer of all lands (as reported by Collector) on which no goods could be found to distrain, and the result is, a considerable loss to the township. He paid himself, I am led to believe, the amount of his salary for the last half year, nearly six months before it was due. These are a few of the many irregularities that have come to the notice of one who has had little to do with this justly famous official, and I do not see how the gentlemen of the Council of Thurlow can hope to retain the confidence of the electors while they continue to insult them by keeping in office one so thoroughly incompetent, and more, one who obstinately refuses to carry out instructions.

I am, &c.,
AN ELECTOR.

Belleville, 26th March, 1877.

REPORTED COLLAPSE OF THE MOUNT CENIS TUNNEL.

TWO PASSENGER TRAINS BURIED.

LONDON, April 1.—The *Standard's* special despatch from Paris says:—A rumor is in circulation that the roof of the Mount Cenis tunnel has fallen in, overwhelming two passenger trains.

A SPLIT.

For some time there has been dissatisfaction in the Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., growing out of the "color question." This has led to a split. The first Grand Lodge in Canada of the Independent Order of Good Templars was instituted at Toronto on Friday. After the election of officers it adjourned to meet in Hamilton in November. It appears to be an entirely independent Order, and is under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of the world. It seems to have had its origin out of recent disputes amongst the Good Templars, as to the right to membership of colored citizens. The cardinal principle of the present organization is equal rights to all members, irrespective of color or race. A congratulatory telegram was read at the meeting from six thousand Templars of Nova Scotia, and a similar message returned.

—Boys are beginning to hunt up their bats and balls and are marking off the bases, in view of the near approach of the season when the sport will commence.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, April 2nd.

Greenbacks buying at...	94½ to 94¾
" selling at...	95½ to 95¾
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange	184½

Gold opened at 105; closed at 105.

Driving over a Rough Road last winter, one of my horses became suddenly very lame—a bad sprain of the right ankle. Applied all the remedies I knew of and those suggested by horsemen, without any benefit. The horse was entirely useless for two months, and thought him permanently disabled. GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA took away the lameness and restored him. HENRY LIVINGSTONE, Proprietor South Side Signal, Babylon, L. I.

Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

ELECTRICITY! THOMAS' EXCELSIOR ECLECTRIC OIL!—WORTH TEN TIMES ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have cold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay." BEWARE OF IMITATION.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and TAKE NO OTHER. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.
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The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remed and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshoness Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure o those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

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In all cases of Nervous and Spina Affections Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

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Silk & Velvet Ribbons,
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and Wool Barege, Colored Silk
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Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns,
Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety.
Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.

Liberal Discount made to all Church Sewing Societies

JOHN COURTENAY,

March 13, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. E. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

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We invite the Inspection of the Ladies.
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March 31, 1877.

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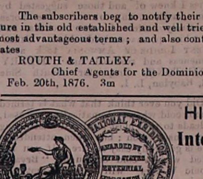

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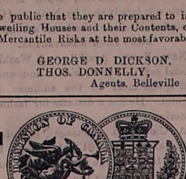

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FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS TO 31st DECEMBER, 1875.

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Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	60,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

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(Signed) GEO J PYKE,
General Manager.
Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the

Baking and Confectionery Line.

Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
WM DICKENS & SONS.

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON,

WM. JOHNSON & CO.'S
Stock of Gents' Furnishings,

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

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FINEST XXX PASTRY FLOUR,
CHOICE SPRING WHEAT FLOUR
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MACCARONI,
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March 28 1877.

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CITY OF BERLIN ..	Saturday, Apr. 23, 3 p.m,
CITY OF CHESTER ..	Saturday, May 5, 11 a.m:
CITY OF MONTREAL ..	Saturday, May 12, 3 p.m,

Passengers will find these steamers tastefully fitted up, and the staterooms large and perfectly ventilated: The saloons are the entire width of the vessel, and situated where there is least noise and motion, greatly lessening the liability to sea sickness. Smoking rooms, Ladies' Boudoirs, Piano-fortes and Libraries, Bath rooms, Barber's shop, Electric Bells, Spacious Promenade Decks, &c.

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100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
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Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Grocers, under the name and style of "Moore & Cox," at Belleville, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John Cox, by whom all claims against the said partnership will be settled.

GEO. W. MOORE.
JOHN COX,

Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.

WITNESS—H. PRETTY.

ELEPHANT

CLOTHING STORE.

C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of

BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,

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All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.
March 12, 1877.

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J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.

THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has

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To Condon's Block,

East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of

MONUMENTS,
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and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.

SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,

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Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station, Pinnacle street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.

J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

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FRESH OYSTERS!

ROSS & DAVIES

Have received and offer for sale

FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.

R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers

THE CELEBRATED

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OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior

SUGAR CURED HAMS,

From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co, Detroit.

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Feb. 2nd, 1877.

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WORSTED COATINGS,

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IN GREAT VARIETY

GIVE ME A CALL.

April 22nd, 1875.

Christmas Goods.

500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,

TO BE SOLD AT COST

Within the Next TEN DAYS

At the store of the Late

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PARTIES desirous of obtaining a FIRST-CLASS SEWING MACHINE should call and examine the above machines before purchasing elsewhere, as all are manufactured of the best material, and are fully tested before leaving the Factory, and GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION. FACTORY AT G. & J. BROWN'S.

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Agents wanted where there is not already an agency, also a good travelling Agent wanted. Repairs promptly attended to.

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E. BARRETT, Gen. Agt.
Belleville, Aug. 19th, 876.

EXTRA CHOICE

SUGAR CURED HAMS

BREAKFAST BACON,

SPICED ROLLED BACON,

DRIED BEEF,

JUST RECEIVED.

GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb. 1st, 1877.

THURLOW COUNCIL.

March, 5th.

Present.—H. Ashley, Reeve; O. R. Weese and James McCreadie, Dept. Reeves, and Peter McDougall and E. Brintnell, Councillors.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Moved by J. McCreadie, seconded by O. R. Weese that the prayer of the petition of W. P. Yourex and others asking the Council to establish the south half of lot 17, all of lot 18 and the west half of lot 16 in the 5th Con. a separate road beat be granted.—Carried.

Moved by James McCreadie, seconded by E. Brintnell that the request of the petition of Peter Caverly and others to establish the road running south from the gravel road to the River Moira through lot in the 6th Con., a separate road beat be granted.—Carried.

The Road Surveyor reported verbally respecting the repairs done on the bridge across Bell's Creek 2nd Con. The report being satisfactory was adopted and $10 granted to meet the expenses incurred in the repairs.

Moved by O. R. Weese seconded by Jas. McCreadie that Wm. Ketcheson lot 12 and James Clarke west half lot 13 in the 5th Con. be attached to road beat No. 6 in said Con. Wm. Foxten Path Master.—Carried.

Moved by James McCreadie, seconded by O. R Weese that $13:88 be refunded to Wm. McDavid amount of his taxes for 1876 on account of grevious losses by fire.—Carried.

Moved by E. Brintnell, seconded by P. McDougall, that the taxes on part of lot 14 in 3rd Con. owned at present by Nicholas Hazelton be released on account of loss by fire. Amount $15:60.—Carried.

Moved by James McCreadie, seconded by E. Brintnell, that Hugh Collins be paid $9,00 for keeping Archibald Hanna, who had his leg broken and was without friends or comfort.—Carried.

Moved by P. McDougall seconded by O. R. Weese, that Mrs. Winters, poor, be paid $5,60 for wearing apparel to be laid out under the direction of Mrs. W. Ashley. Carried.

The Road Surveyor reported respecting the improvement of the road near the residence of Albert Parks, and advised that no immediate action be taken.—Adopted.

Moved by E. Brintnell, seconded by P. McDougall that John Phillips be allowed to do his statute labor for 1877 on the line between Thurlow and Tyendinaga, in the 3rd Con., under the direction of his Path Master.—Carried.

Mr. Francis Brenton was appointed Treasurer in place of Mr. John Thompson removed.

Samuel Phillips was reappointed Collector.

Salaries of municipal officers.—Clerk's salary per annum, $140; Collectors' per annum, $120; Treasurer's per annum, $75; Assessors' each, $65; Care Taker, per annum $40, Councillors' each, per diem $2; Road Surveyors' per diem $2.

Council adjourned.

CANADIAN EDUCATIONAL NOTES.

Dr. McLellan, a member of the Central Committee since its formation in 1871, is at work upon a volume intended to assist in teaching arithmetic in the High and Public Schools. This teaching has been too long conducted on the basis of text-books of the ordinary type, and the consequence has been a lack of skill amongst candidates for examination in solving the most ordinary problems. To obviate this difficulty it is proposed to issue an elaborate and thoroughly classified collection of problems, including besides those set at the various examinations under the authority of the Central Committee, many selected from the mathematical paper set in Toronto University; some from London University papers, and some contributed by distinguished mathematical teachers of this Province. The work will be accompanied with a key containing the answers to all the problems, and hints on the best methods of solving the most difficult. The name of Mr. Kirkland, Science Master in the Toronto Normal School, and an accomplished mathematician, appears as associate editor.

An effort is being made to raise $50,000 to add to the endowment of Dalhousie College, Halifax.

P. A. Switzer, M. A., formerly of Oakville, has been appointed Head Master of the Elora High School.

Mr. D. Crawford has been transferred from the Port Perry to the Strathroy High School as assistant master.

The annual county examinations of pupils in Waterloo has been put off from March to December on account of the abolition of the Easter holidays.

The Rev. Professor Bryce, of Winnipeg, has, on account of press of work, declined to occupy any longer the position of Inspector of Schools for that city.

Public feeling is apparently running high on the school question in Manitoba The Protestant section of the Board of Education is agitating for a non-sectarian school system for the Province.

The negotiations set on foot some time ago with a view to secure the amalgamation of the Dundas High School and the Wesleyan Institute of that town, and the erection of the joint schools into a Collegiate Institute, have collapsed, the High School Trustees declining the proposals of the Institute Directors.

"A Separate School Supporter" writes to an Essex journal, objecting to a circular issued by the Vicar-General, in which he threatens to excommunicate those Roman Catholics who send their children to the Public Schools.

In nearly every case, School Trustees granted the teachers a four days' vacation at Easter.

Judge Kingsmill, of Bruce, has decided in a disputed trustee election case that if the returning officer is himself a candidate, and happens to be elected, he is disqualified from acting on account of his having been returning officer. The decision, whether based on sound legal reasoning or not, is certainly a very proper one from a common sense point of view.

It has been officially announced that, with reference to the additional subjects in English History and in Reading, as prescribed by the Order in Council approved 15th February last, the local examiners are authorized not to exact one-third of the marks allotted to each of these additional subjects as the limit for passing, so that candidates who pass satisfactorily on other subjects may not be rejected.

During last month there was an average attendance of 692 pupils at Ingersoll public school.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 4.

THE probability is that the Secret Service matter will be finally disposed of by the Committee to-day.

THE Ottawa *Free Press* says it is probable that several distinct actions for criminal libel will be brought against the *Mail* newspaper by Hon. Mr. Mackenzie.

THE drafts Sir John Macdonald drew on Mr. Cumberland were cashed by money out of the Northern Railway funds, and the latter acknowledges that Sir John knew this would be the case.

THERE is a strong desire shown by members of both sides of the House to have prorogation by the 15th inst., or as soon after as possible. Many declare they will not remain after the above date, being anxious to get home to their business.

A TELEGRAM from Quebec announces the reading of a *mandement* in all the Roman Catholic Churches of the city, condemning the action of the Supreme Court in the Langevin judgment. The document is said to be very severe in its language, and to create considerable commotion.

SIR JOHN was not present at the opening of the House on Monday, and the honor of leading the Opposition devolved upon Messrs. Palmer and Plumb. These gentlemen made a fair division of the onerous duties, and were their new-found honors with becoming dignity.

THE *Whig* says the highly complimentary biographical sketch of Sir John, that has been going the rounds of the Tory press, and credited to Cassell's (English) Portrait Gallery for March, was written by the editor of the Ottawa *Citizen*, and sent from this country by one of the agents of that publication. So it is not English opinion, you see.

MR. ROCHESTER, the member for Carleton, yesterday exposed himself to plain language from the Premier, when moving for a return of malt taken out of bond from July 1st, 1876, to Feb. 28th, 1877. He admitted making the motion on the strength of flying rumors that certain parties had been informed in advance of the tariff changes intended by the Government. The Premier asked him to formulate his grievance and he would get all the satisfaction he wished.

THE London *Herald* (excellent authority, by the way) has this:—"When the Minister of Justice had an attack of *delirium tremens* on the streets of Ottawa he resorted to the same method (libel suit) to prove that it was sunstroke he was suffering from, but he withdrew the suits before they came to trial." To which the Ottawa *Free Press* replies: "No Minister of Justice to our knowledge was ever attacked with *delirium tremens* on the streets of Ottawa or elsewhere—certainly not since November 5th, 1873."

PERSECUTION.

Tory organs are, in regular order, rising to remark, in doleful cadence, how exceedingly unbecoming it is for Mr. Blake, who prides himself upon his honor as a man and politician, to show so much eagerness in pressing the charges against Sir John Macdonald—"the dear, wise, witty Sir John." They are quite unanimous in the opinion that, instead of obliterating the fame of their political chief, "the unsophisticated Chancery lawyer" will succeed in admirably snuffing out his own feeble light. They do not pretend to question the justice of the proceedings or deny that there was ample reason for instituting the enquiry, but they do most vehemently object to this heartless persecution of "dear, wise, witty Sir John." No matter of his sins of omission and commission are "rank and smell to heaven," the Grits have no justification in arraigning him before the bar of public opinion as well as before a tribunal of their own creation. They pretend to see in this so-called investigation an attempt to manufacture capital for the forthcoming political campaign, wherewith to offset the heinous crimes of the Government and mislead the public. This is merely repeating the old cry. Whenever Sir John Macdonald is accused of political corruption, and the accusation is backed up by irrefragable evidence, his apologists fall back upon the whining plea of persecution. Such a principle is not only insignificantly puerile, but it is actually cowardly. If the accused is innocent of what is brought against him, let his innocence be established by sound argument and evidence in rebuttal. Unable to defend their client the organs resort to abuse of the plaintiff. The charges are directly made. They must be met by a direct refutation.

NOVEL AND FOOLISH.

A western paper wants coal taxed, not exactly as a protection for Nova Scotian products, but simply because cheap coal means cheap fuel of all kinds, and hence it is highly detrimental to the interests of those who have wood to sell. There have been many foolish things said of this Protection question by the advocates of a "National Policy," but the above must be allowed to bear off the palm. In the first place, there are comparatively few land-owners in Canada (omitting the residents of Free Grant territories) who have a superabundance of wood to part with. Throughout the greater part of the first settled sections an actual scarcity exists, much to the injury of the Agricultural interests and the inconvenience of residents. Most of our farmers are studying how best to preserve their remaining timber, rather than enhance its value so as to effect extensive sales. Coal is already extensively used throughout the country by farmers, who find it cheaper than wood. To still further increase the cost of the former, with a view of similarly affecting the latter, may be Tory logic, but it will not carry conviction to the general public. Again, legislation has been recommended with a view of protecting our forests from too rapid denudation. To offer a premium for defeating what is universally conceded to be of vital importance to the whole country is another anomaly in the Tory advocacy for Protection. But even admitting, which we do, that a few land-owners might be benefitted by such a law as would compel consumers to pay a high price for wood they have for sale, what would be the general result? Many purchasers in towns and cities would be driven from the country, as we must not forget that fuel of some kind is an important consideration in the domestic calculations for our Canadian winters.

Editorial Notes.

A LARGE number of copies of Mr. G. W. Ross' speech on the tariff have been printed and circulated.

THE carrying trade on the Ottawa railways is reviving, and better times is anticipated.

THERE is a church-building mania in Toronto. Each sect seems desirous to outvie the other in the grandeur of their edifices.

THE office and contents of the Arnprior *Review* were totally destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Insured for $2,200.

CHAS. A. CLEVELAND, while carrying a railway tie, at Courtwright yesterday, accidentally fell, the tie falling on his head and crushing it so badly as to cause his death.

DIPHTHERIA is very prevalent in St. Ann's Ward, Montreal. As many as thirty cases are reported by the medical men.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION TO THE VERY REV. J. FARRELLY, VICAR-GENERAL.

On Easter Tuesday, after Grand Mass at St. Michael's, the Very Rev. Vicar-General Farrelly was presented by his congregation with an address and an oil painting portrait of himself, commemorative of his ordination to the Priesthood — this being the twenty-fifth or silver wedding anniversary of the occasion. The address is highly complimentary to the very rev. gentleman. The painting is the work of Mr. Sawyer, and is well executed and reflects great credit on Mr. Sawyer's ability as an artist.

In addition to a large congregation, there were present His Lordship Bishop O'Brien, Rev. Fathers Mackee, E. Murray, C. Murray, Twohey, Toomey, Leonard, McWilliams, Casey, Brophy, Davis, McDonough, O'Reilly, O'Donohue and Murphy; Thos. Wills, M. P. P., F. McAnnany, R. C. Hulme, Dr. Burdett, Dr. Palmer, &c.

The following is the address:—

To the Very Rev. J. Farrelly V. G.

VERY REVEREND SIR,—

It is our pleasing duty to address you on this occasion on behalf of your congregation. The duty is pleasing to us because in performing it we are in the fullness of our hearts, if not sufficiently so in words, giving expression to the feelings of gratitude and love so justly due to you as our spiritual guide, as well as for the many spiritual favors received at your hands. Through your zeal, devotion and self-sacrifice in the performance of the sacred duties committed to you, you have the respect of the entire community and the love of your own immediate flock.

Since your advent amongst us you have by your untiring exertions and earnestness accomplished a great deal for the spiritual and temporal advancement of your people. Your first great work in Belleville was in establishing a conference of that truly charitable society, whose branches extend all over the known world, the Society of St. Vincent De Paul, whereby the condition of the suffering poor of Jesus Christ under its charge has been greatly ameliorated.

Next we find you vigorously at work in establishing a Temperance Society, and the result of your labors in the cause of temperance redounds very much to your credit, and must be as satisfactory to you as they are beneficial not only to the members of the Association and their families, but to the people at large. The least observant amongst us has not failed to notice the great reformation made in those who had been addicted to intemperance. Where once reigned supreme poverty, wretchedness and suffering we now behold sobriety, industry and thrift, and for this happy change we believe generations yet unborn will bless your name.

We likewise feel thankful to you for your continued perseverance in the important matter of Religious Education, which resulted in your procuring for us the facilties whereby, our children, or the female portion of them at least, can receive a sound Catholic Education.

The complete renovation of the old Convent and female Separate School building, under your own immediate supervision, causing you much anxiety and necessitating a large expenditure, was a work of no small magnitude to be performed in so short a time, a work crowned in your success in getting established here a Community of the good Sisters of Loretto.

Taking all these matters into consideration we feel that as a congregation we would be remiss in our duty did we not show our appreciation of such noble works, performed in such a self-sacrificing manner for our welfare. Be pleased then, Very Rev. Father, to accept this oil painting portrait of your self, which we present you in recognition of your devotedness in the cause of our welfare, and as a mark of our love and esteem; and we pray that you may long be spared in good health to watch over and guide us in the path which leads to the Kingdom of our Eternal Father in Heaven

BELLEVILLE, April 3

Signed, on behalf of the ladies—

Mrs Geo Sherwood,	Mrs P P Lynch,
Mrs R P Davy,	Mrs T Callaghan,
Mrs James Grant,	Mrs John Doyle,
Mrs J Mackie.	

On behalf of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul—

David Holden,	John Doyle,
David Brennan,	P P Lynch,
Thomas Bolger,	B Truaisch.

On behalf of the Temperance Association—

Richard Costello,	Thomas Ruff,
Thomas Baynes,	Stephen Wade,
William Cummings,	Pat Dunn.

On behalf of the congregation—

James Grant,	Dr Murphy,
T O Bolger,	Capt Wm Power,
Capt O'Grady,	Alex McDonald,
J O Farrel,	J R Barrett,
Timothy Daly,	Michael Sweeny,
R McCaffrey,	Edward Condon,
Thomas Cox,	John O'Neill.

The Very Rev. gentleman appeared to be much over-come, and briefly replied as follows:

My dear congregation and dear friends,—

I feel somewhat in the position of the prophet of old who was constrained to cry out "Aye, Aye, Aye, Lord I know not what to say." I am deeply moved by your kind words to me on this the occasion of my twenty-fifth anniversary of my ordination to the priesthood, and more especially in the presence of my beloved bishop, of my friends of the priesthood and of my many kind Protestant friends, whom I see before me. So full is my mind of thoughts and recollections during the past 25 years that I know not where to begin, and if I began I would not know where to end. I must confess that I am not taken altogether by surprise, as I had intimation beforehand of your kind intentions, but even if I had not known it, it would not surprise me as I am fully aware of your kindness and goodness of heart since I have been amongst you. When I first came here I found the ground well prepared by my predecessor, the late Dean Brennan of happy memory, and my work was comparatively easy. I have always found you my dear congregation ready and willing to help me in the good work, and for your kind address and your beautiful present I again thank you sincerely. I thank you my Lord for your presence here to-day, and also the priests who have come here some from a considerable distance; but especially do I thank my many warm, kind Protestant friends who have attended here to-day as a token of their regard and friendship.

The Lord Bishop briefly addressed the congregation and stated that as an act of friendship and in virtue of his office he considered it his duty to be present on this occasion. It afforded him great pleasure in uniting with the congregation on this the twenty-fifth Anniversary of the ordination or silver wedding of the Very Rev. Father. He could not fail to be here to-day for many reasons but more especially from the fact of a friendship of over 30 years and from the still higher motive that he owed it as a duty to a faithful Priest, one who as Vicar General of the Diocese was so much esteemed and beloved and the great and good work which he has done during that long period will be recorded in eternity. He hoped sincerely that the Very Rev. Father might be spared to meet his congregation and his friends on the occasion of his Golden wedding.

THE Q. M. B. C. SEWING SOCIETY.

In my last report of the Quinte Moira Bay City Sewing Society an item or two was published which the President and other officers objected to as private business not to be meted out to the public. I have consequently received in my official capacity a number of letters from members threatening me with broomstick pommelations, hot water, baldheadedness, &c. While I consider that I reported nothing but the legitimate, every-day business of the Society, I am willing to make amends for any little errors that may have crept in through inadvertence.

I have received letters from Sally Sniveller and Aurelia Snyder giving their ages, certificates of baptism and other documentary evidences to prove that they are not old maids, and that they have yet hopes of capturing husbands. Although the argument that a lady should not be put down as an old maid until 52 somewhat clashes with common custom, I will make my amends to Amelia who I have since learned from the best of authority, has been escorted home from several parties lately by a marriageable gentleman.

My natural anxiety to furnish the readers of this journal with news of an entertaining local nature usually nerves me on to deeds of heroism; to risk anything—even life itself to obtain it. But the vision of broomstick spectres, rolling pins, toothpicks and hair pins dampened my ardor and taxed my fertile concoctiveness to devise a plan by which information of the next meeting might be procured. (I make parenthesis here to say that as the authorship of the last report is attributed to about 75 or 30 persons, among others the Churchwardens, all thoughts of being asked to commit suicide have been dispelled from my mind.)

At last, after a weary night's projecting, I decided to disguise myself as a female and venture. Accordingly I borrowed crinolines, skirts, dress, false hair, a waterfall and other accoutrements from a lady friend. After getting my false hair frizzled in front and otherwise puffed and arranged by a tonsorial artist and capillary operator, I slung a waterfall about the size of a plum pudding—but filled with far more ingredients, on my bump of obstinacy; hoisted a thimble, needle and some other little tools into the reticule carried on my left arm; shouldered a new silk umbrella; took a piece of red flannel to make an envelope for some little bud on the tree of Abolitionism and sallied forth just ten minutes to two, and was soon tugging at the Sniveller door bell shortly after. Amanda answered the ring but didn't know me. I introduced myself as Betsy Porter, who used to reside here fifteen years ago, daughter of Colonel Major Porter, who lived on the interest of what he owed, and during his travels on the Continent had left me in Paris to finish my education. The introduction was sufficient; it routed every suspicion and carried the position by storm. Recognizing me as little Betsy, Amanda Sniveller exclaimed, "La, me! Bless me! How young and natural you look! Let me kiss my dear Betsy!" And she came near putting my right eye *hors de combat* with the end of her nose.

I was then hurried into the bed room to take off my things and Amanda rushed into the parlor to announce the new arrival. I crept into the hall on tip toe and heard the words "distinguished family," "great tourist," "no ignoble pursuit," "lives on interest," "educated abroad," "stylish" &c. and felt happy, knowing as I did that I must soon be *the* centre of attraction. Whilst hastily disrobing, I observed a point or two worthy of mention. The window blinds were a little awry and a couple of cobwebs were visible in the corners of the ceiling which must have been there since last fall as spiders don't work in the winter. Otherwise every thing was neat and tidy and showed unmistakable signs of arrangement for the occasion.

I was brought out and introduced. Twenty-one women were glad to see me and kissed their dear angelic Betsy till my waterfall got skewed around clear under my left ear, and I began to feel a rising sensation in my throat from the hugging received.

After I had been so affectionately gone through with I went back to the bed room to reconstruct. "Gracious! Waterfall away around under my left ear; beautiful front hair tossed around like a garden of pea-vines after a hurricane. But I arranged them the best I could and returned

On my reappearance I took stock of the situation. The members of the Society were seated in various rooms busily engaged in their labor of love divided in little groups and apparently eying one another with suspicion. Sally Sniveller was seated in a corner running a sewing machine and giving instructions in regard to the dimensions of the little garments to be made, in accordance with a resolution passed at the last meeting. Mrs. Grundy was there diligently at work—talking. Miss Sikuner on hand; but "beardless" on this occasion. Aurelia Snyder was also on hand; so also was Susie Spry, Tabatha Ripley and other prominent sisters. From the general demeanor of the company it was evident that there was something wrong—that there was a deep laid scheme, to me unfathomable. I endeavored to solve the mysterious problem when big Julia Bangs whispered "mum is the word." Still from another room I heared in a subdued whisper "If it was'nt that he is such a stylish, darling, nice, young man, and looks with such disdain on the commonalty who descend to paying their shop bills and perambulating the streets gloveless and and cainless, I would'nt allow my daughter to have circulated that subscription for him." "Well, for my part," said Mrs. Micawber "I would readily subscribe towards paying his fare out of town but for no other purpose." I recognized in Mrs. Micawber's voice, that of a prominent Front Street merchant's wife

The colloquy was here interrupted by the ringing of the door-bell, and shortly after Amanda ushered in three rural sisters, whom I presume knew more of the dairy business than the *extraordinary* work of the Society.

I regret that my last report should have ruffled the feeling, of any of the sisters, and I consequently deplore the fact. As an instance of the manner in which it was received I would here state that on the entrance of Mrs. Sarsaparilla who happened to make use of the irreverent remarks: *i. e.* "Did you see the report of our last meeting in the ONTARIO?" all eyes turned upon her a withering scowl, and the poor woman seated herself confused and abashed.

At this juncture a lady from the Capital drove up and took our good sister Bertha for a drive. We all rushed to the windows to examine her bonnet, when Amanda Sniveller announced that sisters were at liberty to examine any part of the house; when eleven others and myself immediately set out on the good work. A number of the ladies were enraptured with what they saw particularly with some showy silver-ware, as represented by Amanda. I was in the plating business before I commenced reporting, too long, to be fooled. The special preparation for this occasion must have cost the Sniveller family considerable.

Mrs. Crockery again flounced in to announce the sale of $4,00 worth of material and stated her readiness to act as agent for the Society. She also repeated her invitation for the members to take tea at her house.

The President attempted to burlesque my former report by asking the ladies to prepare a good supply of important news concerning family affairs for the next meeting.

A synopsis of the subjects to be discussed at the next meeting was then drawn up and is as follows:—"The servant girl question" by Mrs. Grundy; "Best means to keep husbands from Lodge-meetings," by Mrs. Squiggs; "Bank Clerks and their Matrimonial Probabilities," by Sally Sniveller. The President and Mrs. Spaulding decided to remain to tea, and after a general shake hands the meeting dispersed to meet on Thursday at the home of Mrs, Grundy.

To the Editor of the DAILY ONTARIO.

SIR,—I noticed in your last night's paper a small item asking for an explanation of the non-appearance of Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination, after their having been announced to give a performance here. This explanation, with your kind permission, I propose to give.

One evening last week Mr. Reynolds, the Agent for the Dominion Telegraph Company here, called on me at my house and informed me that he had received a telegram from the agent of a theatrical Company addressed to "The Principal Hall" here, but refused to give it to me unless I consented to allow him to have the sale of the reserved seat tickets. Now, we had already had a little rumpus on the same subject, and I had previously informed Mr. Reynolds that I would not and could not allow him the sale of tickets as I had made arrangements with Mr. John Harrison for that purpose, and that he (Mr. Harrison) was my sole Agent. Mr. Reynolds then left, telling me he should deliver the message to Mr. Graham, but whether he did so or not I do not know.

I have subsequently discovered that Mr. Tyler, the Agent for the Furbish Combination was the sender of the message, and that he received an answer stating that the Hall was engaged for a dance, and he therefore could not have it. Who sent the answer I do not know; probably Mr. Reynolds can tell.

Hoping that Mr. Reynolds' conduct will meet with the approbation it deserves from the public and also from his employers, the Dominion Telegraph Company, and thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the use of your columns,

I remain,
The Public's Obedient Servant,
GEO. E. J. HANWELL,
Lessee Belleville Opera House.

—Extensive preparations are in progress to resume work on the Welland new canal.

—Mr. Jas. Fahey will lecture on "The Literary Club" in Galt on Friday evening, 6th of April.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at our new store, 260 Front St.

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April 4, 1877.

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Belleville, April 4, 1877. 6i

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Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORANGES and LEMONS TO-DAY

Mortgage Sale Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale continued in a certain mortgage which, will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

BELL & BELL,
Vendors Solicitors.

Belleville 17th March 1877. d6iw3i.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having recently made an important change in our business in adopting the Strictly Cash System, we take this opportunity, on the opening of another season, to set before our customers and the public generally, some of the benefits of the Cash basis upon which we now seek to continue and extend our trade.

If the plan we propose meets with the general approval and support we anticipate, it will certainly be a benefit to ourselves, as it will undoubtedly prove an advantage to our customers.

To sell Cheaply one must buy Cheaply. With this in view we have made arrangements to pay prompt Cash ourselves for all our goods bought in Britain, thereby securing the advantage of discounts on purchases so made. And further, to save the great expense of going over to England every season, our purchases will henceforth be made by a resident buyer, one who is thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the Canadian trade, and who knows where to buy the various classes of goods the best and cheapest.

We have also secured the advantages afforded by large quantities being bought at one time. Though we are the largest importers of Dry Goods in this section of the Province, as is shown by the returns at the Custom House here, still the quantities required are not sufficient alone to give us access to the best markets. But now the person who buys for us is buying at the same time goods of a similar kind for other houses like ours throughout Canada and the United States, amounting in the aggregate to the value of from twenty to thirty times the amount of our order. By this means we get the benefit of large purchases, as well as obtain access to markets where we should be excluded if we merely had the buying of the comparatively small quantity we alone might need. And we may here mention what may not be generally known, that the terms of most of the larger manufacturers in England and Scotland are now, Strictly Cash; and further, they are under obligations to the Middlemen, or Wholesale Dealers, not to sell any person under a certain quantity, generally a much larger quantity than any one retail house can handle. So, were we buying our own stock separately, even were it many times larger than it is, we should be compelled to purchase from others than first hands.

Our new stock of goods bought by us under the above arrangement is now forward, and will be found very complete, and we shall endeavour to maintain the assortment throughout the season, ordering goods as they are required. We would here invite all who may be needing articles for personal or household use to view the goods and see the prices.

We will continue to make it a rule, as we have hitherto done, that all customers on entering our premises shall be left entirely free to exercise their choice, and to buy or not, as they may see fit.

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Belleville, 2nd April, 1877.

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Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
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Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,

Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND UNK ME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ...	6.50 a m
No. 4 Express,..	..6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ...	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,..	..12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	..2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 4.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Reception.—A reception was tendered Bishop O'Brien and the visiting clergy at the Convent this afternoon.

The Cells.—Two tramps and one prisoner occupied apartments in the cells last night.

Returned.—Mr. W. H. Scott of the Merchant's Bank has returned and resumed his old position as Accountant in the bank here.

A Yacht Race.—It is now announced that a yacht race is to take place at Kingston early this month and preparations are now being made to that end.

Address and Presentation.—Father Murphey was presented with an address and purse, after the presentation to Vicar General Farrelly.

Albert College.—The annual Matriculants' Exhibition of Albert College takes place in the College Chapel this evening when an attractive programme will be offered.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, noted for its profuse and elaborate decorations and elegant table, now offers the same accommodations at a reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

St. George's Church.—The Vestry of this Church will meet on Tuesday next for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of either enlarging the church or building a larger edifice.

Real Estate Sale To-day.—Messrs. DeMandeville & Co. sold at the Court House to-day, "by order of Mr. Palmer, assignee," the brick house and grounds of the Ellis Estate to Mr. A L. Smith for the sum of $1,430

In the Hotel Business.—Charles Cornell, formerly of Belleville, is now interested in the proprietorship of the St. Lawrence Hotel, Kingston. Charley's many friends in this section will be glad to hear of his prosperity.

New Firm.—We understand that Messrs. L. F. Landers & Co., are opening a Steam Laundry and Shirt Factory in Neilson's Block, over Campion's dry goods store. It is their intention to make it second to no other similar establishment in the Dominion.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreable treatment at the Colonnade Hotel.

Ball and Supper.—The First Annual Ball and Supper of the Belleville Division of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers takes place this evening. The ball will be held at the Metropolitan Hall, and the supper at the Dafoe House.

The Snow By-law.—This by-law has been pronounced *ultra vires*, and therefore all those who had their cases adjourned were dismissed. The defects in the by-law were remedied on Monday night, so that when another season approaches interested parties will have to look out for themselves.

St. Thomas' Vestry.—In our report yesterday we stated that the motion on the rebuilding of the church was carried by a vote of 27 to 19. The motion was not carried, but was negatived—19 being for and 27 against it. From this it would appear that the congregation do not intend to rebuild the church at present.

Visiting the Institute.—Bishop O'Brien accompanied by a number of priests of the Diocese visited the D. & D. Institute yesterday afternoon, where they were kindly received by Dr. Palmer and Mrs. Keegan. They were shown through the building and afterwards the pupils gave an exhibition, which pleased and delighted the visitors. Addresses were delivered by the Bishop and Vicar General Farrelly.

In Training. The horses stationed at No. 2 engine shed are receiving a splendid training as every day they are practised in running from their stalls to their position in front of the engine. On a recent occasion the work of harnessing and hooking up the horses occupied only three minutes. The example thus set could be copied with advantage by those in charge of the horses at No. 1 shed.

Chess.—A long and very interesting game of chess has just been concluded between Picton and Belleville. It occupied Friday, Saturday and Tuesday nights. Picton was represented by Judge Jellett, Sheriff Gillespie and Mr. C. Gearing, and Belleville by Mr. A. M. Terwilligar. The Picton Club made excellent play; they "held the fort" long and ably, but had to succumb at the seventy-fifth move.

Kingston Items.—Mr. T. Robertson has launched a new yacht.—The blue glass mania has reached the city.—Yesterday a cart belonging to Thomas Tobin was smashed by a G. T. R. engine, near the Ferry wharf.—Pending the settlement of the question as to the validity of the Dunkin Act, the Inspector announces that he is prepared to receive applications for licenses in the County. The exports from Kingston to the United States during the quarter ending March 31st amounted to $35,947.11.—The snow by-law is being vigorously enforced.

—Navigation is open between Detroit and Amherstberg.

Spring Opening.—Foster, Barber & Brignall announce their spring opening for to-morrow, when the ladies will have an opportunity of inspecting one of the most varied and fashionable stocks of millinery, mantles, &c, ever brought to this town.

Amateur Journalism.—We receive from Hamilton and Kingston very neatly printed and creditably conducted journals, published in the interest of the Collegiate Institutes at those places. We call them "amateur journalism," but their real merits entitle them to greater distinction.

Accident.—Mr. Samuel Jones an old resident of the township of Huntingdon met with a sad accident on Monday last, whilst engaged in drawing a large stick of wood, it swung and struck him from behind breaking both of his legs at the ankle, shattering one of them badly; the other was dislocated as well as broken. His recovery is considered doubtful.

Narrow Escape.—A narrow escape from drowning took place last evening a few minutes before nine o'clock. It appears that James Bucker, a colored man, had gone up the the river in a boat and when in the vicinity of the footbridge his craft upset and he was thrown in to the river. The current being rapid he was carried down stream very fast—no, all the while calling lustily for help. The shouts attracted the attention of many on Front Street who hastened to the lower bridge and its vicinity to see what was up. When the man got down opposite the ashery, a boat put out from the west side of the river and at the same time officer Vanmeer was in the act of going to the man's rescue when those in the boat called to him and he desisted. Buckner was taken out and was afterwards brought to his home. Can this man be considered a subject of Vennor's cold dip! We pause for a reply.

Gold Mining.—As our people are invariably pleased with news of the success of those who seek their homes in other places, we are always gratified to clip paragraphs detailing their prosperity. We extract the following from the Bismarck (Dakotah) "Tribune."—"The new discoveries in Bear Gulch are near Horton City, and our townsman, A. P. Horton, for whom the city is named, has reason to rejoice thereat. S. A. Goodall is interested with him. Messrs, Goodall & Co. have now a tunnell about forty feet in their lode at Bear Gulch, and have a crevice of six feet. Rich placer diggings ranging from two to five dollars to the pan have been discovered in this vicinity lately. Here is where Prof. Jenny reported the richest gold." Messrs. Horton and Goodall formerly resided here and we are confident our citizens generaly will be glad to hear of their having secured a bonanza.

The G. T. Works.—The *Whig* says:—It is not likely, we learn, that public rumor will be verified, and the G. T. R. Works removed back to Kingston, but it is a foregone conclusion that the station here will be made the end of the regular 'runs' both eastward and westward, thus bringing the engineers from Brockville and Belleville. The short runs have proved unsatisfactory, and now Kingston will ere long be the dividing line between Toronto and Montreal." In view of the fact that a large bonus was given for the construction of railway workshops and sheds here, it is scarcely probable that the end of the runs will be changed as mentioned by our contemporary. The works here are not finished but as Manager Hickson has been communicated with on the subject we refrain from making further comments till his answer is received.

An Accident.—Michael Marrigan and John Sarsfield met in Corcoran's Hotel last evening. Each had been drinking freely and therefore it was an easy matter for them to raise a disturbance, which they at once proceeded to do. The landlord, however, interfered and ejected both from his premises. The parties met on the sidewalk between Condon's barber shop and McDonald's tobacco store and renewed their quarrel. They grappled one another but as neither party was very steady on his legs success was doubtful for a time, until Sarsfield having his foot caught between the building and the sidewalk was thrown down violently by his antagonist. The result of the fall was that Sarsfield's leg was broken in two places. He was afterwards conveyed home by his friends and a physician summoned, who performed the necessary operations for the relief of the unfortunate man. The other party, Marrigan, was arrested by officer Cook, who took him to the station. On Cook's proceeding to search him, the prisoner resisted, but the Chief was on hand, and taking hold of Marrigan quietly laid him on the floor and relieved the man's pockets of their contents. The prisoner yelled loudly and acted very violently, but it was no use for him to struggle with the Chief, who picked him up and carried him in to the dark cell where he remained all night. That man will fool around a threshing machine before he tackles the Chief again

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Wednesday, April 4.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Edward Marrigan, on the above charge, was remanded for a week.

THE SNOW BY-LAW.

The Magistrate decided that the by-law was *ultra vires* in two respects—1st, in the length of imprisonment allowed, which by statute was limited to 21 days; and 2nd, because the by-law did not draw the distinction between occupied premises and unoccupied and vacant premises; therefore he dismissed the cases against Thos. Wills and John J. Haslett.

OPENING DAY AT RITCHIE'S.

It says a great deal for the faith of our prominent business firms in the general prosperity and prospects of our town, to witness such stocks of new goods as were exhibited to-day at Ritchie's. The grand opening of this establishment, signalizing as it did the commencement of a new season's trade, was looked forward to with interest by the ladies of Belleville, who thronged the several departments to view the novelties so extensively displayed.

The show of goods on the lower floor is very large and profuse, and embraces all the various lines usually found in first class stores. There is a large and excellent display of staple goods such as white cottons and table linens; dress goods and silks are shown in abundance; whilst French stuffs for mantles and mantle trimmings and arabesque galoons, are exhibited in endless variety. The general appearance of the ground floor is thoroughly characteristic of the firm, being tastey, neat and highly attractive. The second floor is devoted to the display of mantles, costumes, millinery, &c. The show is very handsome, comprising as it does, feathers, hats of different material and shapes, trimmed and plain, ladies' and children's wear, in fact, everything to be found in such a place. In conclusion we would say that such a fine assortment of rich and beautiful goods is seldom seen, and we would advise our lady readers to call at Ritchie & Co's., where they may rest assured they will receive that attention which gained for this firm a name second to none in this district.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC ETCETERA.

Written for the Ontario.

Boston has had a singing-match.

—The Berger Family and Sol Smith Russell have been reviewing their former successes in New England cities.

—New York is having the largest theatrical business it has known for years. Nearly every theatre is nightly crowded to overflowing. Boston has the same story to tell, and all the other cities are also doing a wonderfully brilliant business. This is a sure indication that trade is at last really reviving.

—New Orleans went wild over Soldene. The audiences were masculine.

—It is rumored that a certain actress' name will soon read; "Adelaide Neilson Lee Schwab."

—Clara Louise Kellogg is a favorite with hotel landlords. She never makes any trouble and keeps good hours. That is more than can be said of all the "Prima Donnas!"

—Eliza Weathersby is certainly the best burlesque actress upon the American Stage, taken all in all. She is a fair singer, a good actress and never exceeds the bounds of modesty. She does not look about the audience, but devotes her entire attention to the business of the part.

—Strauss likes America pretty well, but he doesn't like to cross the water, so he won't come over again.

—Julia Ward Howe has shocked the western people by her rudeness and want of politeness. Too bad!

—Cincinnati is considered to be "the worst show town of its size."

—"Bounce" was recently played in London, It was "bounced" after the first night.

—The Boston "Transcript" calls the young collegians who misbehave at places of amusement, "The Harvard mob."

—"Is there a University here?" was Soldene's first question after reaching Cincinnati. The old lady was thinking of fair Harvard.

—A lady bought a Sankey hymn-book at a Boston music store, saying that she was going to the Moody Matinee at the Tabernacle in the afternoon!

—"Pretty and pleasing, but not great," is the Philadelphia verdict upon Adelaide Neilson.

—"Oh, isn't he sweet?" ejaculated a gushing young girl at the Boston Museum, when Montague came on the stage in a blue velvet suit of clothes and a blonde wig. "Yes," said her companion, "he's just too lovely for anything! He's perfectly splendid! I am going to send the dear creature a pound of chocolate caramels!"

—Kate Girard is said to have hair that's "a bright and lovely cardinal."

—Dublin audiences are peculiar. Between the acts the students sing airs from the opera of the evening.

—America's richest actor is John E. Owens.

—San Francisco couldn't see any fun in Sothern's "Dundreary."

—Kate Claxton drew crowds in St. Louis. They all wanted to see the "heroine of the Brooklyn disaster."

—An Iowa editor announces that the singing school in his town will shortly produce Hayden's divine Oratorio of "The Cremation."

—Congressional song for the winter—"Oh let us be jawful."

—The grass—opera season has begun in Kansas again. Many new scores have appeared.

—Don't be too musical. A French burglar sang while at work, and his singing brought him 15 years in the galleys.

—It is thought that the times will yet come when members of the choir will be expected to behave during divine service just as well as the other folks.

—"Men are like hymns," remarked an exchange newspaper. There are short metre men, sharp, blunt, hasty; there are long metre men, slow, weighty and dignified; there are hallelujah men, mercurial, fervent and inspiring; and there are eights-and sevens men, gentle, genial and delightful. There are also some "peculiar metres."

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

—A wealthy Bosnian merchant charges the Turks with cruelties in several villages.

—Gen. Grant commends Hayes' action in the S. C. and La. cases.

—There is much excitement in parts of Georgia over a threatened negro insurrection.

—White and colored Republicans of Charleston will call a convention and make terms with the Conservatives.

—Announced that Chamberlain will issue an address to the Republicans of S. C. and remove from the State forever.

—The Packard Govt., of La., is panic stricken by the South Carolina decision, and a stampede to the Nicholl's Legislation is imminent.

—Southern Republicans are discouraged, but there are no threats of exposure or organized opposition to the President.

—The "Herald's" London correspondent telegraphs that the identity of Oakey Hall is unquestioned.

—Men still in the Legislature and Courts, who are involved in the coming disclosures, are opposing clemency to Tweed.

—There will probably be little delay in Tweed's release.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

—Hampton thinks the President's policy will finally be sustained by the whole country.

—Vandyck's stolen painting of the Virgin has been recovered.

—An English firm has successfully tendered for over 20,000 tons of iron in the face of competition of all American manufacturers and despite heavy import duties.

—A school house in the Norwegian village of Energso, was burned yesterday, and 16 children perished.

—The Postoffice at Jacksonville, Fla., was burned yesterday.

—Bismark, at the Emperor's request leaves his resignation in abeyance during his years' absence.

—The woman accompanying "Sutliff"—Hall—is about 38; five feet five inches high; good figure; dark brown hair, clear complexion, large eyes, large mouth, and has a wart two inches below the left ear. She was in London in advance of Hall. They are stopping at ordinary apartments, and the people are evidently ignorant of their identity.

SIDNEY TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

Town Hall, Sidney,
April 2nd, 1877.

Council met agreeable to adjournment. Present—The Reeve, B. Rose; Deputy Reeves S. T. Wilmot and R. E Grass; Councillors B H Vandervoort and Thos. H. Blanchard.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Blanchard presented the petition of Jacob Jones and others, praying the Council to open the allowance for road between Lots. No. 34 and 35 in the 1st Con. Laid over to amend the petition to open through to the 2nd Con.

Mr. Wilmot presented the petition of David Lockwood, praying the Council to allow him to put part of his statute labor in the 6th Con. on property owned by him. —Granted.

The petition of Levi Massey and others, asking for the use of the hall for Grange meetings, was taken up, and the use of the lower part of the hall granted by complying with the rules of the Council.

The petition of Samuel Lawrence, asking for pay for a road, was taken up, and, on motion, was not entertained.

Application was made on behalf of the Widow Fitzgerald, to exempt her from taxes for the year 1876—Granted.

Council adjourned for one hour.

Council resumed.

The petition of Melinda Maybee and others was taken up, and on recommendation of the Committee was further laid over.

Several alterations in the appointments of path-masters, pound-keepers, and fence-viewers were made, and several paupers struck off.

The tenders for Graham's Hill were opened and laid over until the 16th April, for the purpose of enlarging the subscription list to aid the work on said hill.

Council adjourned.

THE OPPOSITION AND THE WORKINGMEN.

Mr. Blake's Bill to repeal certain laws making breaches of contract of service criminal, and to provide for the punishment of certain breaches of contract, was considered in Committee in the house on Friday The Opposition confined their efforts chiefly towards attempts to have the criminal clauses of the bill extended to farm laborers, lumberers and others engaged in the ordinary avocations of life. Mr. Pope (Compton) took strong ground in fayor of punishing breaches of contract by farm servants with imprisonment, and Mr. Rochester asked to have the law made more stringent in the case of lumbermen. It was Mr. Bowell, the deputy leader of the Ontario Conservatives who censured Mr. Blake and condemned his Bill, because engine-drivers and other railway employers were not singled out for special punishment. It was Mr. Bowell who declared that three years in the Penitentiary was too little for them, but we do not see that he backed up his assertion by a motion to make that the penalty for breaches of contract on their part. In all probability he discovered that his violent condemnation of one of the most intelligent classes of workingmen in the world, would subject him to a severer handling if persisted in, than he received from Messrs. Irving and Wood when he ventured his remarks in the House. Mr Blake's explanations go to show that the new law is mainly designed to relieve mechanics and others from being treated as criminals wherever through differences as to wages or other matters they find it necessary to quit their employment. Certain exceptions are made to the general principle, but they do not appear to be extensive enough to meet the views of such ultra Tories as Mr Bowell, Mr. Pope and Mr. Rochester.—"Advertiser."

THE IMPORTANT QUESTION.

Of all loathsome diseases Catarrh stands pre-eminent. It renders its victim as disgusting to himself as to others. And the most humiliating of all is the consciousness that his presence is offensive to those around him. If any disease deserves the name of universal, it is this. Dietetic errors and the follies which Fashion imposes upon us tend tend to foster and disseminate it. To the painful cry of its victims, is there any cure for Catarrh? there is but one answer consistent with Christian reason. God has never sent one evil into the world for which he has not sent the remedy. For the greatest of all spiritual and moral evils, the Great Physician has perscribed a potent and neverfailing remedy. He has given explicit rules for the treatment and preservation of the spiritual and maral man, but He is silent in all matters relating to the physical man. It would be an unwarrantable detraction from His beneficent character to suppose that He has afflicted the greater portion of humanity with an incurable disease. The day of plagues is past. The God of Christianity is the God of Love, of Mercy, His message is "good will to all men." The earth and all contained therein was intended by the grert Designer to supply man's wants; and surely he has no greater wants than remedies for his infirmities. Science is rapidly proving that the earth is fitted to supply man's uttermost need. New medical plants are constantly being discovered and new properties developed from those already known. For Catarrh, the most potent remedy yet discovered is Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Its efficancy has been tested in many thousand cases with uniform success. Cases that had been repeatedly pronounced incurable, readily yielded to it. In confirmed or obstinate cases, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery should be taken in connection with the use of the Catarrh Remedy. Full particulars in Pierce's Memorandum Books. Given away by druggists.

The huge, drastic, griping, sickening pills, are fast being superseded by Dr. Pierce's Purgative Pellets. Dr. Pierce's Memorandum Books given away by all druggists.

Dr. Ralph Ogle, Veterinary Surgeon, 330 West 25th St. N. Y., says; "Your new discovery Giles' Liniment Iodide of Ammonia, surpasses anything for Splints, Strains, Lameness in the Limbs or Shoulders, &c., Wind Gall, and hard bony Swellings on the joints. It is marvellous." For Bunions, Enlarged Joints of the Feet, Neuralgia, Sore Throat, Paralysis, Rheumatism, and Pains of all kinds, a cure is guaranteed.

☞ Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D., Bible House, New York City.
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Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years'standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

Note—Eclectric—Selected and Electrized

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of those diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remedy and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantages derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

E GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETO

$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale b all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

☞ ON HAND. ☜

JOHN J. SHEA,

CITY BILL POSTER,

DISTRIBUTOR AND PAPER HANGER.

☞ Orders left at printing offices will receive prompt attention.

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

In Belleville, on

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office,
Town Hall, Belleville,
March 29, 1877.
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At Store No. 351 Front Street,
Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,

AT AND UNDER COST,

Which will be found worthy of attention
Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets,
Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered
Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces,
Sewed Muslin Embroideries,
Washing Trimmings in
great variety, Silk
and Worsted
Embroidery Braids,
Silk & Velvet Ribbons,
Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk
and Wool Barege, Colored Silk
Velvets and Satins, Berlin Wools,
Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns,
Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety.
Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering
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Liberal Discount made to all
Church Sewing Societies.

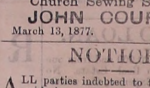
JOHN COURTENAY,

March 13, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. F. BURDETT.
Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m



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IN THE
WORLD.
SOLD BY ALL
DRUGGISTS.

From the Rev. B. Davis, D. D. Minister of the Baptist Church, Montreal.

I most willingly bear testimony to the good effects of Parsons' Exterminator, I found my present dwelling overrun with beetles and roaches; one box has sufficed to exterminate the insects entirely from the house. Similar cases of success have occurred in the neighborhood. Benj. Davis, 4 Sydenham Place,
Montreal, 15 Nov., 1869.

SPRING OPENING

—AT—

FOSTER, BARBER & BRIGNALL'S

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY.

WE invite all the Ladies to visit our store and Show Rooms To-morrow, and carefully inspect our Stock of New Goods and Note our Prices, feeling satisfied we can convince a thoroughly posted public that our facilities for procuring a First-Class Stock, direct from the producers, *on the Very Best Terms*, is unequalled in this part of the Province.

We make a Specialty of the FANCY DRY GOODS TRADE, and from experience find that it can only be done successfully by visiting the Old Country Markets each season and selecting the CHOICEST GOODS when they first appear, as were we to trust to a person who buys for a number of houses in different parts of so large a country as Canada, we would often get goods totally unsuited to our trade.

This season our stock is UNUSUALLY ATTRACTIVE, and will be sold at EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES.

Belleville, April 4th, 1877.

ROME FALLS.

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TRADE NOTES.

The village of Arthur expended in 1876 over $38, 000 in new buildings.

Tavistock has ceased to agitate for gas works, now that kerosene is being retailed there at ten cents per gallon.

The Goderich Foundry Company has a contract for 150 trucks for dumping cars for the Canada Pacific Railway.

Vendors of small wares in the streets of Elora, are now required to pay five dollars for a license to ply their trade.

A gang of eastern thieves is suspected to exist in the vicinity of Suspension Bridge. Several passengers to Detroit on Canadian railways have recently been assaulted or drugged and robbed.

Within a period of two years, ten wealthy citizens of Halifax have died, whose private fortunes amounted to the enormous total of $3,550,000.

The town council of Mount Forest have determined to provide that town with a fire-engine and other appliances for extinguishing fires.

For the first time in several years there is no shipbuilding going on at New Glasgow, N. S., but several large vessels are on the stocks at River John in the same county.

The Bruce Agricultural Works at Teeswater have received an order from a Montreal implement house for 1,000 ploughs, to be delivered by the 1st of May next.

A writ of attachment has been issued against Hugh J. Stevenson, Montreal, notoriously known as the letter "S" in the street railway embroglio.

A demand of assignment has been made on T. K. McQueen, grocer of Brockville, with liabilities and assets of about $4,500 each.

In some of the poor sections in Nova Scotia the paupers are auctioned off to the lowest bidder. One county has started a "poor farm" where the unfortunates are kept in comfort and induced to work for a living.

New Brunswick has adopted the municipal system for county government and abolished the old fashioned courts of session which were found cumbersome and inefficient.

The failure of E. Lawless, of Brockville, presents, from the assignee's report quite a different appearance. Instead of a deficiency of $10,000, as submitted in the first statement it now shows a surplus of $3,000, and 75cts. will be realized instead of 40cts.

A car load of "Canada beef" going from Ontario, is advertised in the Halifax newspapers, and Lower Province butchers and graziers are rejoicing at prospects of a cheap Easter cut for the close of Lent. Nova Scotia prides herself on home-raised beef, but the cattle-raisers of that province have yet to learn something from Ontario.

CANADIAN PROTECTIONISTS.

From the New York World.

During the past two years the Protectionists amongst our friends in Canada have been unusually busy in their attempts to build up their own fortunes at the expense of their fellow-citizens. They have received temporary aid from a quarter to which they have long looked in vain, and have thereby acquired an unreal and fleeting importance. The depression of business has been felt in Canada as well as everywhere else, and, as is usual there, the operative or poorer classes, on short time or out of work, have been ready to throw the blame of their suffering on the Government, on the tariff, or on anything rather than their own improvidence. The Canadian manufacturers, a comparatively minor interests in that country, have taken the opportunity of this existing depression to urge that a tariff hostile to the United States would enable them to employ labor, revive business and generally to counteract the effect of the "hard times." They have sought the aid of Sir John Macdonald and his party now in Opposition, and despite the fact that they have in times past received innumerable snubs from him, have led him on by fostering his hope of seducing from their allegiance the Protectionist supporters of Mr. Mackenzie' Government, until he and his followers now pass as the supporters of what they are pleased to term "a natural tariff," or in other words, a tariff of retaliation against the United States. But even in his anxiety to steal those supporters of Mr. Mackenzie (the present Premier) who represents manufacturing cities, Sir John Macdonald, the Disraeli of the Dominion, is always careful in his resolutions and votes to leave a loop-hole through which he may escape in due time. And the due time would certainly come so soon as he had succeeded in over-throwing his rival. The Canadians cannot be protectionists. Their principal interests are farming and lumbering, and they are quite alive to the fact that the cheaper they can buy the goods they require the better. The whole question of Free Trade and Protection has been and is still more fully discussed by the Canadians than by ourselves, and though the temporary necessities of parliamentary warfare have given the small body of protectionists a momentary prominence they will relapse into insignificance on the revival of business; and in the meantime—as the recent vote in the Canadian Parliament has shown—they will not induce the Mackenzie-Blake Government to depart from their sound principle of a revenue tariff

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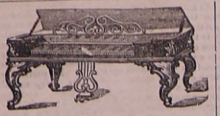

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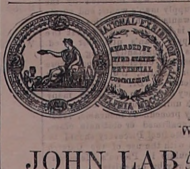

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Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
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Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
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GEO. W. MOORE
JOHN COX,
Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.
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FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
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SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
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R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
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OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
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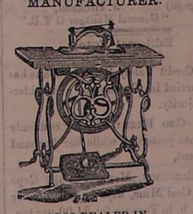

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JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb. 1st, 1877.

CLIMBING A VOLCANO.
ASCENSION OF THE PEAK OF ORIZABA.

Mr. D. S. Richardson, United States Secretary of Legation at Mexico, ascended in February last to the peak of Orizaba, or Citlatepetl, as it is called by the Aztecs, the star mountain of the Anahuac. He had previously climbed to the top of Popocatepetl, and from its summit had gazed out over a sea of clouds to the frozen top of its mighty rival, and now the position was reversed. Mr. Richardson was accompanied by Mr. Eustace Morphy, who with indomitable pluck held out to the last. The point from which the ascent of Orizaba is generally undertaken is San Andres Chalchicomula, a pleasant little town which lies directly under the great volcano, at its southwestern base. Here the sulphur miners and ice cutters come down to sell the products of their hazardous industry. The time selected, Feb. 5, was not at all favorable for the ascent. The miners and guides had all come down and reported the ascension impossible for several days to come. There had been no such storm in 50 years, they said, and to attempt to go up was perfect madness. Richardson and his companion yielded to their advice, and for a few days engaged in a hunting expedition—which, however was a failure in so far as finding game was concerned. They saw one rabbit, and heard wolves and coyotes howling, but that was all. They were high up the mountain side, the weather was pleasant, and, as they had plenty of provisions and no thought of care, they enjoyed the interval with a sense of absolute freedom. It was cold sometimes, and at night the little stars would look down freezingly through the tops of the pines as if in derision of their foolishness; but these discomforts were as nothing compared with subsequent ones.

At 1 o'clock on the 10th of February they began their climb up the mountain. For several hours their path wound up through the desolate ravines which separate the Sierra Negra from the peak. Great masses of volcanic rock were observed in fantastic shapes on every side, and on the entire face of the country, half covered with snow, could be read the signs of the savage convulsions which some day must have shaken the mountains to their foundations. On the morning of the 11th the party resumed march at 2 o'clock, and the ascent is thus described to us by Secretary Richardson:—

"We were six all told, four Indians, Morphy, and myself. No party ever tried an ascent with better fellows for guides. They knew every inch of the ground, were strong and good natured, and took a lively interest in the success of our enterprise. As we were the first to go up after the heavy storms, we went prepared to have a tough climb. The Indians said we would reach the top by 10 o'clock, which was giving us seven hours to do it in. Under ordinary circumstances, and when the snow is in the best condition, the sulphur miners go up in five or six hours from the cave, but on the present occasion they had under-estimated the difficulties. The snow was low down and very heavy, and long before the sun peeped up over the murky horizon we were hopelessly launched upon the long, glistening slant, one end of which seemed reaching out to touch the stars and the other shot far below us into a bank of clouds. Sunlight found us on the south side of the mountain, on a level about equal to the height of the Sierra Negra. The ascent now began to be very laborious, and for the first time we began cutting foot-steps in the ice in order to proceed. When half way up the mountain, the route usually taken is along a ledge of rocks which reaches out of the snow like the dorsal fin of a shark and runs clear to the top. In this respect, Orizaba differs very much from its kindred peak Popocatepetl. Sharp jagged points of rock stick out all over its surface like spines of a porcupine while the summit of Popocatepetl is a clean unbroken cone. These rocks on the slopes of Orizaba are one of the principal sources of danger in the ascent, as they often come tumbling down in great quantities; but at the time of our adventure they were held fast by the unusually heavy fall of snow. This was a point in our favor; but if we did not have to dodge rocks, there was no lack of active operations in other respects. The higher we went the more abrupt became the ascent and the more uncertain the foothold. Ten o'clock came around and the summit was still far above us. Every step now had to be cut out of the solid ice, and the fatigue and light air began to tell on our uninitiated muscles. At 11 o'clock we were at the foot of what is known as the rocks of the *arrepenumiento*. This is the last grand pull, the home stretch, and it could not be more appropriately named. It is probably not over 300 yards to the top, but it is almost a perpendicular wall of ice, and as it is reached when the adventurer is already fainting and about ready to give up, it is a formidable obstacle. We were three hours in getting over it, and then almost fainting and completely exhausted, we threw ourselves down on a little shelf of sand at the top of the peak."

It was two o'clock in the afternoon when they reached the summit, just 11 hours after their departure from the Cave of Santa Cruz, which is itself no less than 13,000 feet above the sea. Two of their Indians left the party, preferring to climb the mountain the next morning to spending the night on its top. Mr. Richardson says that that was the most horrible night he ever hopes to pass. He says:—

"Shortly after our arrival a cold wind came up that struck us to the very bone. There was no shelter to be obtained, as the descent into the crater was impossible, and the excavations from which the Indians take sulphur was covered deep with ice and snow. The bald, naked peak presented but one point where it was possible to spend the night. A little below the lip of the crater, on the southern side, a little steam escapes through a bed of sand, and here the snow is melted off of a spot about a rod square. Into this sand we scratched a hole, and pulling our blankets over us laid down. We had no eyes for the magnificent panorama which was spread out before us on the west; we were too utterly miserable and cold. I do not think any of us slept a wink all night. Our blankets froze stiff as boards, and all attempts to light a little spirit lamp and make coffee were fruitless. We could not even drink our wine, for it had turned to ice in the bottles. Thus hour after hour of the longest night I ever spent dragged by, and at length signs of day began to creep up slowly from the east. Almost too stupefied and stiff to move, we were only induced to crawl out from our holes by the stern realization of our desperate situation. The wind, too, now began to go down somewhat, and after moving about a little we felt better. Making our way up to the topmost pinnacle, we planted our flagstaff and unfurled our blood-red banner to the breeze.

The crater of Orizaba, which is much smaller than that of Popocatepetl, is still an awful chasm, and is probably not far from two miles in circumference. We could not take measurements of it, as all the instruments were down the mountain with the other party. It shows no signs of life, and with the exception of the heated sand on which we passed the night, we failed to notice any evidence of volcanic action still going on. But what a contrast this awful stillness to the great convulsions of which this mountain has once been the centre. We had a magnificent view for about an hour after sunrise, and as far as the eye could reach peak after peak of lesser magnitude told the story of its volcanic birth. By a queer coincidence I had brought *The Last Days of Pompeii* with me to read in leisure moments, and as I looked out over the world at my feet, and thought of Bulwer's vivid description of the last days of that doomed city, the thought suggested itself, 'who knows how many Pompeiis are buried beneath these hoary hills, and what tales might these rocks repeat if they would!"

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 5.

Elsewhere will be found a condensed report of the finding of the Secret Service Committee yesterday morning. Sir John is asked to refund that $6,600 or give his reasons why.

The West Durham *News* man is in Ottawa. His libel suit with the Hon. John Simpson comes on at the Cobourg Assizes this week. Our readers may draw what inferences they please.

The disclosures in the Secret Service and Northern Railway Committee have created an intense feeling in the country. Members who have returned from the Easter visits to their homes report that there is fully as much indignation expressed with regard to the drafts Sir John drew on Mr. Cumberland for Sir Francis Hincks and other election expenses as was shown over the famous Pacific Scandal.

A prominent and well-informed French Liberal member of the House is now confident that the Province of Quebec will next year return at least thirty Liberals. A couple of years ago he was so much discouraged with the general prospects of his party at the next general election that he did not believe Quebec in 1878 would return more than thirteen to support the Government. The feeling in that Province is rapidly undergoing a change for the better.

Our afternoon despatches yesterday announced that an English firm had successfully tendered in America for over 2,000 tons of iron, in the face of competion from all American manufacturers, and despite the heavy import duties. It now remains for the *Mail* to explain how this could have been, seeing that the Americans had the great advantage of their enormous protective duties, against which the English firm must contend. If Protection protects, as the *Mail* insists, surely it should have been impossible for Free Trade England to cross the ocean and beat the protectionists on their own ground.

Mr. Blake has introduced a Bill to amend the present militia law so that in future whenever it may be necessary to call out the troops to suppress a riot or disturbance which, though local in some respects, is not in others, that the local municipality will not have to pay all expense of transport, &c. This amendment is intended to meet such cases as that of the late railway strike. In instances of ordinary resistance to the civil power, it is provided that the municipality shall pay a reasonable cost for transporting men, who live without it, to and from their places of residence. In case of a riot on a railway or Provincial work, power is given to the Governor-in-Council to pay or reimburse the municipality for whatever expenses are deemed proper and just.

The *Globe* insists that it is the duty of the House to ignore altogether the destination or alleged destination of the money Sir John has unlawfully taken from the Secret Service Fund, and simply demand that it be paid back into the Treasury. If the obligations incurred were proper ones those incurring them need not object to their being known to the proper authorities, with a view of having them honorably discharged. And, if they were not proper ones for members of the Privy Council to incur, the safest way to get out of the difficulty is to pay the required amount out of their own pockets. We readily endorse the sentiments of our contemporary, and repeat what we have already said, viz.: that Sir John and his associates of 1869-73 must make restitution for the great wrong they have been proven guilty of.

The Opposition have a real grievance. Mr. Rufus Stephenson is the aggrieved, and the whole party have magnanimously espoused his cause. Some time ago he moved for certain returns which have reference to surveys on the north branch of the Sydenham River. When brought down they were in perfect form, and then passed into the hands of officers of the House, and finally to the Printing Committee. Mr. Rufus Stephenson wanted some data, and again asked for a copy. His grievance is, that when the return came into his hands a second time vital portions were missing—had been abstracted, he says, by somebody. He does not directly accuse any officer or member of the Committee, but the Chairman, Mr. G. W. Ross, is suspiciously mentioned. The Premier has somewhat assuaged the grief of the member for Kent by promising a copy from the Department of Public Works. We shall probably not hear the last of this new grievance for some time.

THE SECRET SERVICE.

A contemporary questions the necessity of keeping up a Secret Service Fund for the use of the Government in mysterious cases. We fully agree with this conclusion. Canada is not hedged about by dangerous enemies, plotting in secret for the overthrow of the Government. The Fenian excitement was unduly exaggerated, and never assumed the formidable proportions some people imagined. But, even allowing that the danger was all that we were once led to believe, it was short-lived, and is not likely to be repeated. So long as the United States Government is on friendly terms with England there need be little apprehension of filibustering or other hostile demonstrations against our people from that, and the only possible, source. Mr. Mackenzie has found no need of a Secret Service Fund since assuming office, and should he remain in power for years to come (which we devoutly wish) it is not probable that he will find any use for such an expenditure. The detective service should be properly regulated by the Department having that business in hand, and every cent required for such purposes ought to appear in the Public Accounts in proper distinction. There is no need of so much mystery and suspicion. As our contemporary remarks: "The shut-your-eyes-and-open-your-mouth style of disposing of hundreds of thousands of dollars, which Sir John adopted, is a farce of the broudest kind that should have been cried down at the first attempt to introduce it." Let us have a reform in the Secret as well as in the Civil Service *modus operandi* of doing business.

THE COAL TAX.

We have shown what the result to manufacturing industries would be, more especially in western Ontario, did the protectionist plea for a tax on coal prevail. As this article enters largely into consumption, to increase the price by a tax on importations, would compel a large number of manufacturers to either shut up or remove to the eastern Provinces, where the cost of transportation would not be so severely felt. The following telegram from Mr. Hickson, General Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, to Mr. Thomas Workman, M. P., will show how the proposed tax is viewed by the railway corporations:—

"It has just been brought to my notice that a proposal is made to put a tax upon American coal brought into Canada. The effect of this would simply be to increase the cost of the coal this Company consumes west of Brockville by just the amount of the tax. Parties tendering for our supplies have stipulated that if a tax be imposed we must pay it. The Great Western and all other railway companies in western Canada would be similarly situated to ourselves. The tax would have the effect of increasing the cost of all manufactures west of Brockville in connection with which coal is used. At Brockville the American coal meets English and Lower Provinces coal, and last year we got part of both at that point. It would be manifestly unjust to the railway companies, who are large consumers, to have a tax put upon them in this way at a moment when they are subjected to all the difficulties arising from a depressed state of trade and keen competition by neighboring lines in the United States. I sincerely hope that your influence will be used to prevent any tax whatever being imposed. We use no American steam coal in Canada east of Brockville.

"(Signed) J. Hickson,
"General Manager G T.R."

Editorial Notes.

The Credit Valley Railway bonus has been carried in Toronto by a considerable majority.

Mrs. Geo. Reed died very suddenly in Toronto yesterday while her husband was absent,

Mr. Robinson, Manager of the Cape Breton Coal Mine, says he can deliver coal f. o. b. in Toronto for $4.00 per ton.

Ald. Roy, of Montreal, has resigned his seat in the Council because false charges were made against him.

The Hamilton *Spectator* copies "Modern Etiquette for Gentlemen" without giving the usual credit. It was orginally contributed to the Ontario.

During the past week, in Montreal, the death rate from small-pox has increased to a surprising extent, there having been fifteen deaths from the disease inside the city limits during that period and eight outside. There were five deaths from diphtheria outside the city limits and six inside. The total deaths were 98 inside, 33 outside, and 36 foundlings. There are as many as 30 cases of diphtheria among the residents of St. Ann's Ward.

BURNING OF THE STEAMER NORFOLK.

Special to the Ontario.

Napanee, April 5.

This morning about 2 o'clock, a fire broke out in the steamer Norfolk, lying at Lane's wharf, she having laid up here last fall for the winter. The fire was not discovered soon enough to save the steamer, which was burned down to the guards. She was owned by Captain Collier, of Newburgh, and was insured for $4,000 in the Stadacona, which will not cover the loss. Repairs were just being made on her for the opening of navigation. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Tuesday, April, 3rd.

The following Bills severally passed their third reading:—Bill to amend the Post-office Act; Bill to impose license dues on compounders of spirits; to amend the Act respecting inland revenue, and to prevent the adulteration of food, drink, and drugs; and the Bill to amend the North-west Territories Act of 1875.

The House then went into Committee on the Insolvency Bill, several clauses of which were passed with slight amendments before six o'clock.

After recess, the remaining clauses of the Insolvency Bill were considered in Committee. A number of members took very strong objections to clause 15, which provides under certain conditions that the Judge shall not grant a discharge to an insolvent unless a dividend of fifty cents on the dollar on the unsecured claims has been or will be paid out of the insolvent's property.

On the motion for concurrence in the report of the Committee, Mr. Gibbs (South Ontario) moved the recommittal of the Bill, with instructions to strike out the 15th clause providing for the fifty cent limitation,

Mr. White (Renfrew) moved in amendment to the amendment the striking out of the 14th and 15th clauses,

Messrs. Young and Workman strongly supported the Bill and the retention of the clause, on the ground that it was a necessary protection to the creditors.

Dr. Tupper said that the Minister of Justice appeared to have completely changed his opinion upon this very essential feature of the Bill, and he should therefore state his reasons for so complete a revolution in his sentiment. The Bill in the present shape would prove oppressive and unjust.

Mr. Blake referred to *Hansard* to show that the Bill in its present shape was consistent with the views he had always expressed, and went on to show that the provisions of the 15th section did not apply except in a very rare class of cases, namely, those in which a majority of the creditors in number and three-fourths in value would not agree to a discharge. The clause, therefore, could not be considered as harsh or oppressive, as only for the very strongest and best of reasons would all the creditors refuse a discharge.

A division was then taken on the amendment to the amendment which was lost. Yeas, 57; nays, 112. The house then divided on the amendment which was lost. Yeas, 58; Nays, 113.

Mr. Barthe then moved an amendment to the effect that the Bill be recommitted, with instructions to amend it by providing that the Act should not remain longer in force than next session. The House divided on the amendment which was lost. Yeas, 25; Nays, 141.

The Bill to provide for the employment without the walls of common jails of prisoners senteced to imprisonment therein passed through Committee without amendment, and was read the third time and passed.

BEECHER'S EXPERIENCE.

From Henry Ward Beecher's "Notes by "the Way" of his successful six weeks' lecturing tour in the Western States, we clip the following humorous reference:

"It is not in good taste for one to intrude his private griefs upon the public, therefore the fact which I state to you, Mr. Abbott, must be regarded as strictly confidential. In a long journey the question of tea and coffee is a serious one. As they are too often dispensed at railway restaurants and hotels they conduce neither to grace nor digestion, but are vile, vulgar, villainous. Not experienced in the misery which these adulterated compounds entail, I sought and obtained from my goodly friend Christensen, some sound and veritable old Ceylon plantation coffee, ground, tightly corked, and ready for use. And this was in a strong glass bottle which I stowed in my trunk. I knew not what befell the trunk. It cannot be that the baggagemen rudely pitched the trunk about, for their delicacy of handling is notorious. At any rate, one day on opening my trunk I was amazed to find my best coat and vest wholly changed in color. I put them in of a decided black, but took them out of a brownish yellow—a color which I never wear. I had coffee-colored shirts, white handkerchiefs, scented with coffee, coffee in my stockings, shirts with coffee-colored bosoms; in short, the contents of the trunk were finely powdered with the very best of old plantation Ceylon! I have often taken coffee inwardly, but never in, powder, externally, before; and if any one wishes to know how I felt, let him go and do likewise and report symptoms."

THE PILGRIMS.

The New York *Herald* gives the following as the programme to be carried out by the committee appointed to receive the Canadian pilgrims on their arrival in New York, from which city they are to embark for Europe:—"The Canadian pilgrims, who are principally laymen, will leave Montreal on the 19th April, and will arrive here on Friday, the 26th, at seven in the morning, and proceed to a hotel in Broadway. On the day of their arrival a steamboat will be chartered, and, in company with a number of the prominent Catholic citizens of this city, they will be taken down the Bay, and to some of the public institutions on the Islands. In the evening a reception will take place. On the following day (Saturday) the pilgrims will attend the celebration of mass at an early hour at the Catholic Cathedral. The total number of pilgrims who will leave by the City of Brussels will be 108, twenty of the number being residents of this city. No other passengers will be taken, the ship being ours for the trip in this respect. The Rev. Father Dowd, of Montreal is to officiate as chaplain on the voyage. Several steamboats will accompany the City of Brussels down the Bay. It is reported that Bishop McNierny, of Albany, will accompany the pilgrims.

—The Lincoln election scrutiny was recommenced yesterday at St. Catherines before Registrar Brough,

SECRET SERVICE REPORT.

Yesterday morning the Public Accounts Committee met, and owing to the absence of Mr. Kirkpatrick, who was anxious to examine Mr. Fleming on the Georgian Bay Branch railway, the Secret Service business was taken up. Mr. Charlton read a carefully prepared and elaborate report, which he moved should be adopted as that of the Committee. The document covered 31 pages of manuscript, 15 of which were devoted to narrating the facts elicited in the evidence, and 16 to the formal finding of the Committee. After recounting, under the latter head, at some length the English and Canadian practices with reference to the expenditure and accounting for Secret Service monies and showing what course Sir John Macdonald should have pursued, but did not, Mr. Charlton proceeded to report the sense of the Committee to be as follows: 1. That the course pursued, and herein before specified, with regard to the Secret Service monies was highly irregular and a breach of the duty of those concerned therein. 2. That steps should be taken for the recovery into the public chest of the said sum of $6,600. 3. That no accounts having been kept, and the cheques and papers having been destroyed, a satisfactory audit of the Secret Service expenditure has been rendered impossible. 4. That it was the duty of the Auditor-General to inform the Ministry that there was a balance of Secret Service money at the credit of the Sub-Committee of the Privy Council, and that he should have obtained the authority of the said Ministry before permitting the balance to be paid away. 5. That in case Secret Service money should at any time hereafter be voted by Parliament it would be proper to provide further statutory safeguards against abuses in the application thereof.

As soon as Mr. Charlton resumed his seat Sir John, who had been listening with the most careful attention, nodded to Mr. Kirkpatrick, who rose and said that he had no doubt that Mr. Charlton had all the facts at his fingers' ends and was thoroughly informed of the whole matter, as his report showed; but he, for one, was not so well up, and he presumed others were in the same position. He therefore would suggest that the report be printed, in order that members might be supplied with copies for their consideration. This proposition was well received, and it having been agreed on, the suggestion of Mr. Blake that the evidence should also be printed therewith, the matter was adjourned *sine die*. The official report was refused to the press on the ground that it had not yet been before the House. The above findings are, however, with the exception of No. 4, *verbatim*. No. 4 contains the sense of the original recommendation, and, if carried, will probably affect Mr. Langton in a serious manner. It is understood that Sir John can (and will) be compelled to disgorge the $6,600.

ON, STANLEY, ON!

The New York *Herald's* gallant explorer in Central Africa, Mr. Stanley, has been again heard from. Under date of August 7th Mr. Stanley writes from Ujiji, recounting the results of a complete survey of Lake Tanganyka. His conclusion is that the lake is of comparatively recent origin, having been formed, as he thinks, and as local native traditions indicate, by some great convulsion of Nature, which created a depression into which the rivers of a great water-shed discharged themselves. Lieut. Cameron announced the discovery of an outlet from this lake, but Stanley, after a careful exploration, decides that no permanent outlet exists. A rise of a few inches in the lake causes it to flow into the Lukuga River, but as a general rule the Lukuga flows into the lake. Mr. Stanley thinks that in the course of years Cameron's supposed outlet will become an actual outlet through the accumulation of water in the lake. His other discoveries are of less importance, relating to the topographical survey of the lake.

OPERA HOUSE!

THREE NIGHTS ONLY.

COMMENCING

MONDAY, APRIL 9th,

THEATRE ROYAL COMPANY.

PATRONIZED by EARL DUFFERIN.

Admission 25 and 50 Cents.

Seats secured without extra charge at Harrison's Music Store.

INSPECT OUR STOCK.

We have received the greater portion of our SPRING STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,

And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.

Goods will be shown with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, April 5th, 1877.

N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

TO LET,

A CONVENIENT BRICK HOUSE, situated on the Corner of Geddes and Campbell Streets, near Albert College. There are Six Bed-Rooms, Parlour, Dining Room, Kitchen, Wood Shead, Good Cellar, Hard and Soft Water, and Good Drive House and Stables. Apply to

RICHARD WELSH.

April 5, 1877. 3i

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at our new store, 260 Front St.

A. E. FISH & CO.

HAMBLY'S CONFECTIONERY,

Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.

All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered

At Lowest Reasonable Rates.

And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.

A NEW THING.

COCOA-NUT MACAROONS,

A most delicious Confection.

WEDDING CAKES,
CHRISTENING CAKES,
JELLIES, &c., &c.

Turkeys Boned, Dressed and Jellied.
Tongues Jellied and Ornamented.
Hams Cooked and Ornamented.

Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c, MADE TO ORDER.

BREAD.

A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.

PHIL. H. HAMBLY.

April 4, 1877.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of

WEDNESDAY, 11th INST.,

FOR

Lighting and Furnishing

ALL OF THE STREET LAMPS IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,

BURNING COAL OIL!

for one year from date of contract.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

SAMUEL HAMBLY,
Chairman of Fire, Water and Gas Com.
Belleville, April 4, 1877. 6i

FULL ASSORTMENT

—OF—

SPRING

DRY GOODS

NOW OPENED OUT

—AT THE—

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE,

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD.

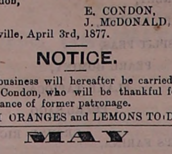
Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORANGES and LEMONS TO-DAY

MAY



A GRAND HORSE FAIR AND STALLION SHOW!

Will be held on the grounds of the

West Hastings Agricult'l Soc'ty,

BELLEVILLE,

ON the 24th of MAY,

QUEEN'S BIRTH-DAY!

When CUPS, MEDALS, and other rewards will be offered for excellence in all classes of Horses.

A track will be open to test the speed, pace and carriage of horses.

Cattle, Farm Stock, Poultry and Agricultural Implements, may be exhibited for sample, sale or barter.

An Auctioneer will be in attendance.

Agricultural Societies are solicited to select Stallions for the season.

☞ The Fair will close with a spirited game at

FOOT BALL.

The Fair will open at 10 a.m. and close at 3 p.m.

T. C. WALLBRIDGE,
Super't, Public Fairs.
March 28, 1877. d1aw&w1d

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having recently made an important change in our business in adopting the Strictly Cash System, we take this opportunity, on the opening of another season, to set before our customers and the public generally, some of the benefits of the Cash basis upon which we now seek to continue and extend our trade.

If the plan we propose meets with the general approval and support we anticipate, it will certainly be a benefit to ourselves, as it will undoubtedly prove an advantage to our customers.

To sell Cheaply one must buy Cheaply. With this in view we have made arrangements to pay prompt Cash ourselves for all our goods bought in Britain, thereby securing the advantage of discounts on purchases so made. And further, to save the great expense of going over to England every season, our purchases will henceforth be made by a resident buyer, one who is thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the Canadian trade, and who knows where to buy the various classes of goods the best and cheapest.

We have also secured the advantages afforded by large quantities being bought at one time. Though we are the largest importers of Dry Goods in this section of the Province, as is shown by the returns at the Custom House here, still the quantities required are not sufficient alone to give us access to the best markets. But now the person who buys for us is buying at the same time goods of a similar kind for other houses like ours throughout Canada and the United States, amounting in the aggregate to the value of from twenty to thirty times the amount of our order. By this means we get the benefit of large purchases, as well as obtain access to markets where we should be excluded if we merely had the buying of the comparatively small quantity we alone might need. And we may here mention what may not be generally known, that the terms of most of the larger manufacturers in England and Scotland are now Strictly Cash; and further, they are under obligations to the Middlemen, or Wholesale Dealers, not to sell any person under a certain quantity, generally a much larger quantity than any one retail house can handle. So, were we buying our own stock separately, even were it many times larger than it is, we should be compelled to purchase from others than first hands.

Our new stock of goods bought by us under the above arrangement is now forward, and will be found very complete, and we shall endeavour to maintain the assortment throughout the season, ordering goods as they are required. We would here invite all who may be needing articles for personal or household use to view the goods and see the prices.

We will continue to make it a rule, as we have hitherto done, that all customers on entering our premises shall be left entirely free to exercise their choice, and to buy or not, as they may see fit.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO.

Belleville, 2nd April, 1877.

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,

(de PARIS) the Experienced

Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

And Practical Wig Maker

At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.

PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.

☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.

Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

WANTED IMMEDIATELY

FIRST-CLASS COAT HANDS,
Best Prices Paid,

T. C. TILLINGHAST,
Robertson's Block.

April 2, 1877. 3i

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, HARDWARE STOCK FOR SALE BY TENDER.

TENDERS for the assets en bloc of the estate of

JOHN LEWIS & CO.,

of Belleville, will be received by the undersigned until the 13th APRIL, 1877, the security offered to be named in the Tenders. The Assets consist of

Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
Book Debts " " "	5,250
Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

The stock, inventory, and list of debts can be seen, and all information obtained from Mr. James Hambly, on the premises, who is instructed to afford every facility to intending purchasers.

THOMAS DARLING,
Assignee.

182, St. James Street, Montreal,
29th March, 1877. td

FOR SALE.

100 Brls. Choice Apples.

AT

Ashley's Cheese Warehouse

G. T. R. STATION,

—AT—

$2 to $2.25 PER BBL.,

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

Also a lot of CULLS, at 50c to $1 per Bbl.

Orders left at C. F. Smith's Tin Shop, or Henry Canniff's Grocery, opposite Upper Bridge, will receive prompt attention.

Belleville, April 2nd, 1877. 7i

Post Office Block!

AT REYNOLDS'.

OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
" " LOCKETS,
BACK COMBS,
BLACK CARD BOARD,
" MOTTOES,
SHADED "
PLAIN "
SPATTERED "
FROM 7 Cents.
SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.
March 13, 1877.

MILLINERY: MISS BELLAIR. 342. DRESS MAKING: MRS. BELLAIR.

COSTELLO'S

Fashionable Millinery!

And Dress-Making

ESTABLISHMENT.

TO THE LADIES:

I beg to intimate the arrival and arrangement of a most complete assortment of Fashionable Millinery direct from the London, Paris, and New York Markets. I will show

On Thursday Next, April 5th,

ALL THE LEADING STYLES IN

Pattern Trimmed HATS & BONNETS,
French and English FLOWERS,
Real and Imitation LACES,
Ribbons, Plumes, and Fancy Ornaments,
together with a general assortment of the most Fashionable DRESS GOODS.

A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

R. COSTELLO.

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

The Celebrated Imported

CLYDESDALE HORSE,

"Scott's Fusileer,"

The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville

FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season.

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot ....20cts.

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 1[illegible], 1877, d&w3m

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

AND TOBACCONISTS' GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,

Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express,	6.50 a m
No. 4 Express,	6.10 p m
Mixed	9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12.05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 5.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Cells.—There were five tramps registered at the police station last night.

Base Ball.—The Silver Leaf Base Ball Club, of Napanee, expect to play a match with a Belleville Club on the 24th of May.

Police Court.—The calendar was a blank to day, and no business was transacted.

Personal.—Bishop Carman lectures in Cobourg on Tuesday evening next on "Trade and Get Rich."

Chance to get Bargains at the great Bankrupt Sale in Walsh's Commercial House, on Saturday.

The Ferry.—It is now expected that the ferry steamer Prince Edward will be able to begin running to-morrow, or Saturday at the farthest.

Walsh's Bankrupt Stock to be sold off, regardless of Cost, commencing on Saturday next.

The Trains.—"Punctual regularity" is the order of the day in regard to the running of the trains. No delays have been reported for a considerable time.

Out for Practice.—No. 1 steamer was out yesterday afternoon far practice and also for the purpose of accustoming the horses to their work.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, noted for its profuse and elaborate decorations and elegant table, now offers the same accommodations at a reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

New Town Hall.—The Hungerford Township Council has decided to build a new Town Hall to cost from $2,000 to $2,500.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreable treatment at the Colonnade Hotel.

Cobourg Assizes.—There is a very heavy criminal docket for the Spring Assizes, which open at Cobourg on Monday next. The "Big Push" suit is down on the list for hearing.

Look out for Great Sale of Bankrupt Stock at Walsh's Commercial House, commencing Saturday next, 7th Inst.

Bigamy.—Ebenezer Pine has received a hearing at Napanee on a charge of bigamy. The principal witness against him was a lady from Thurlow, who deposed that he had been twice married. A disposition of his case was to have been made to-day.

To Municipal Clerks. — Municipal Clerks would do well to see the new Amended Act for 1877 in regard to Voters' Lists for this year, as a great difference exists between the last Act and the one now in force.

Napanee River.—The ice in this river is rapidly breaking, and the channel is open nearly the entire distance between the town and Mill Point. It is expected that navigation will open there on the 15th.

Making a Path.—Captain Jellett has a number of men employed in cutting the ice in the channel to enable the ferry steamer to commence running. The task is laborious, as in many places the ice is very thick. The expense thus incurred is borne by the *town* and Captain Jellett jointly.

Fire.—Shortly before five o'clock this morning fire was discovered issuing from a dwelling in Murneyville, occupied by James Bain. The bells were rung, and the firemen turned out with their usual alacrity. The flames were soon got under control and the building saved. The fire broke out in the kitchen, which is considerably damaged. The loss is light, and will not exceed $100.

Prize Fight Stopped.—About seven o'clock last evening two young men of the *genus* rough, accompanied by a crowd numbering in the vicinity of 100, repaired to the G. J. R. dock for the purpose of engaging in a prize fight but on the appearance of the father and mother of one of the combatants, the proposed encounter was put an end to, much to the disgust of those present. There is a woman in the case.

License Applications.—The following applications have been received by Inspector Ross for licenses for the West Riding of Hastings:—Belleville, Taverns 8; shops 7; wholesale 3. Trenton:—Taverns 8, shops 3. Frankford:—Taverns, 3. The number of applications for tavern licenses here last year was 27. The Commissioners will meet some day next week and decide who are to be the fortunate ones.

Costello's Opening.—Costello's Spring Opening took place to-day. Though his establishment is not so pretentious as that of others, yet the character, quality, style and variety of goods shown gives ample evidence that the wants of the patrons of this store have been amply provided for. The show of millinery is the prominent feature, and is well worthy the attention of buyers. All the goods are tastefully arranged, and both the windows and interior are prettily decorated. Mr. Costello makes his purchases personally, and therefore his customers may rely on receiving satisfaction.

Good Enough.—The Car Works at Cobourg are in full blast, and turn out two cars a day. There is enough work contracted for to keep the men employed till July next.

Coal Oil at Frankford.—The Colborne *Express* says:—We are reliably informed that indications of Coal oil at the village of Frankford, County of Hastings, warrant preparations now being undertaken for the sinking of a well at that place. Practical tests of the crude liquid constantly coming to the surface admits of no doubt anticipated results.

Sensible Advice.—The Star wants the people of Peterboro' to divide the $300,000 voted to the Huron & Quebec Road between the Cobourg & Peterboro' and G. J. R. roads, as by so doing that town would have two roads to the front instead of a branch which it now hat. Besides, the H. & O. Road will not be built in 20 years, and then it will only benefit Toronto and Ottawa. Yet we fancy it will be a difficult matter to make the benighted people of that town think so.

Colborne Items.—The first (outward bound) schooner from Colborne sailed on Tuesday last with a cargo of poplar wood for the Rochester Paper Manufacturing Co.—Mr. Keeler is now erecting a first class steam saw-mill.—Mr. Lewis Young of Frankford is about to establish Vinegar Works in the village and to that end has purchased the necessary premises.—The heading and stave factory is in full blast and is doing a good business.—The bazaar held on Tuesday evening for the benefit of Trinity Church was successful beyond expectations.

The Ball and Supper.—The first annual Ball and Supper of the Belleville Division of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers took place last evening. Metropolitan Hall was handsomely decorated for the occasion with flags and evergreens, and here and there on the walls mottoes appropriate to the regulations of the Brotherhood were suspended. Dancing was begun about 9 p.m., and was continued with spirit until five this morning. The music, which was furnished by Montgomery's Quadrille Band, of Kingston, was very pleasing, and was highly appreciated. Supper was furnished by Mr. Henderson at the Defoe House, in the style so characteristic of that hostelrie. Everything passed off harmoniously.

Quinte Districts Items.—The *Whig* protests against the deposit system in connection with the Kingston City Hall as it keeps shows away from the place.—The vital statistics for Kingston for the month of March are as follows:—Births, 37; Marriages, 14; Deaths, 38.—Mr. R. C. Carter, recently in partnership with Mr. C. F. Gildersleeve, has removed to Mill Point.—Christopher Switzer of Switzerville died very suddenly on Monday last from disease of the heart.—The Chief of Police of Newburg visited Napanee on Monday last and having got on a "whirl" was nabbed by the police, brought before the Mayor and fined $4.00 and costs.—Mr. William Brown, and old and highly respected resident of Picton died on Wednesday last in his 93rd year.—John Collins, of Salmon Point, set his nets ten miles out in the lake on the 26th Feb. and took them up on the 16th March all right, with a good haul of fish.

FOSTER, BARBER & BRIGNALL'S.

The Spring Opening at this establishment took place this morning, and although the weather was inauspicious for such an event, it was nevertheless very largely patronized; on the occasion of our visit (11 o'clock) the show-room was crowded with a throng of ladies, all deeply engaged in an inspection of the array of goods placed before them.

The display is one of the finest we have had the pleasure of witnessing, and is as varied, neat, stylish and attractive as one could wish to see. There was an abundance of feathers of different hues and sizes; there was a multiplicity of hats, plain and trimmed, the ornamentation and work on some of the latter being especially fine. There was a collection of very handsome mantles, which could not but delight the eye of the lady who loves to dress well; there was also a profusion of trimmings for mantles and dresses; a large show of black, fancy and colored silks, lace goods, fringes and buttons (which by the way are largely used in trimming) and an endless variety of novelties. all fresh from the very best markets of Europe, and all purchased by Mr. Barber personally at bottom prices. Prices, Mr. B. assures us, were never more reasonable; indeed, in many articles, there is a marked reduction from the very low prices of last year.

The stock on the ground floor contains all the goods found in similar stores and is large and extensive. Great taste is shown in the arrangement of the goods, and no effort is spared to meet the wishes of customers.

The display at this store as a whole is first-class, and reflects great credit on the enterprising proprietors.

VISITING LORETTO CONVENT.

Shortly after two o'clock yesterday afternoon His Lordship Bishop O'Brien, accompanied by Rev. Father Farrelly and a number of priests of the Diocese visited the above named Convent, where they were cordially received.

After partaking of lunch the visitors entered the drawing room, and a very agreeable and highly inteesting entertainment then opened by the pupils of the institution, who, ranged in rows, gave a very pleasing literary and musical treat, which was greatly relished by all present.

The proceedings opened with the welcome chorus, "Come when you will" with piano accompaniment. The vocalism of the pupils was excellent, and was well received.

An address appropriate to the occasion and couched in beautiful and touching language was then presented the Bishop by Miss Mary Keegan. Miss Rose Denmark presented the Bishop with a pretty boquet of flowers, and one was given the Vicar-General by Miss Ponton. Then followed the recitation, "The Old Clock," by seven little girls, all of whom showed great proficiency. "Moonlight on the Lake" was next given, and was capitally rendered. Miss Annie Ponton succeded with the recitation "My child, Give me thy Heart." Of the effort of this young lady too much cannot be said; her gestures were capital; her intonation perfect, whilst every sentence she uttered was clear and distinct. The Misses Sisson and Burdett next gave a duett, which proved very acceptable.

Father Farrelly then delivered an address. He spoke of the pleasure afforded him by the visit to the Convent; referred to Miss. Ponton's declamation, which he considered excellent, and concluded by averring that he spoke the sentiments of all present when he said he was pleased with the opening of the Convent.

Bishop O'Brien then gave a brief speech. He thanked the pupils for the address they had seen fit to present him with, and for the kind sentiments it contained. This was not the first time he had visited Belleville, and he trusted it would not be the last; he had been kindly welcomed and would come again. This was the first time he had visited the convent and he was greatly pleased with what he saw and heard. Father Farrelly, he remarked, had done many good things during his 25 years ministration, but amongst all he did nothing was better than the bringing of the Nuns of Loretto to Belleville, for among the blessings the good Sisters conferred, none were second to the importance of a good education, and while the convent is established under the supervision of the Sisters all who are attentive will receive a proper education in every sense of the word. Thanking the children for the address he resumed his seat.

After consultation His Lordship decided to grant the pupils a holiday, which he did, the announcement being received with smiles of gratification by the scholars who then withdrew.

The party next visited the Separate School, and after the pupils had given an exhibition the Bishop announced that he would give them a holiday to-morrow, if no objections were made; of course the scholars assented. The party then adjourned to the residence of Rev. Mr. Farrelly. In the evening the visiting clergy presented the Vicar General with a beautiful clock. The presentation was made by Father Brophy.

The party left for home to-day, all delighted with the reception accorded them.

ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF ENGLAND.

We have received a circular from the Committee having charge of the arrangements for the forthcoming show at Liverpool, in connection with the Royal Agricultural Society of England, which is intended to give all necessary information as to the scope, intentions and awards of the Society, with a view of inducing the American and Canadian provision traders to come forward as contributors and competitors. Awards are offered, consisting of money and medals, to the exhibitors of Canadian and American or foreign cheese, and similar prizes to the exhibitors of home, American and Canadian hams and bacon dealers, curers or importers being allowed to compete. It is anticipated that the contest in this important department of the show will be very keen. The Canadian Government, through Mr. John Dyke, Emigrant Agent at Liverpool, has taken active steps to have the information as widely circulated as possible. The following is a list of prizes opened to Canadian competitors:—

Class 163. Firkin, crock or package of Canadian, American or foreign butter, not less than 14lbs. each. First prize, £5, second £3, third £2.

Class 170. Three Cheeses, Canadian American or foreign, above 40lbs. weight each, colored or plain. First prize £20, second £15, third £10. No cheese to have been ironed or bored, or it will be disqualified.

Class 172. Six Canadian, American or foreign Hams (long cut) from 18 to 28lbs. each. First prize £20, second £15, third £10.

Class 174. Three sides of Canadian, American or foreign Bacon (Cumberland or Wiltshire cut) from 25 to 50lbs each. First prize £20, second £15 third £10.

Several steamboat companies have authorized their respective agents at New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, New Orleans and Montreal to receive and forward to Liverpool exhibits intended for the Royal Agricultural Society's Show, to be held at Liverpool on 11th July 1877, and four following days. Prize lists and certificates of entry may be obtained from any of the agents of the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, and from the agent of the Allan and Dominion steamship lines. Entries must be forwarded to H. M. Jenkins, Esq., Secretary of the Royal Agricultural Society, 12 Hanover Square, London, England, so as to reach him not later than June 1st.

Condensed Telegrams:

MORNINGS DESPATCHES.

—The whiskey rectifiers of the U. S. have entered a combination to increase the price of that beverage about 3 cts. per gallon.

—Geo. Sharpe, a diamond merchant of Atlanta, Ga., is missing. He owes over $50,000.

—An extra session of Congress will probably meet in June, and will be brief.

—Evarts has no fears of Tilden's quo warranto.

—The President has no doubt concerning the validity of his title to office.

—The Cotton Claim Agents have been defeated in an attempt to undermine the present organization of the Senate.

Rumored that Wade Hampton, Gov. of S. C., will be the next Democratic candidate for President.

—The glass blowers of the U.S. have struck for 20 per cent. advance.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

—By an explosion which took place in a white lead store in New York this morning three men were killed.

—The gambling houses in Washington have been suppressed.

—Col. Parker of N. Y. died on the N.Y.C. R. yesterday between Syracuse and Rochester day.

—Fires which destroyed $311,000 worth of property are reported this afternoon.

—Charles Bradlaugh, the agitator, and Mrs. Annie Besant, free love advocate, were arrested in London to-day for circulating immoral pamphlets.

—A collision occurred on the Central Pacific R. R yesterday killing four men.

A CANADIAN BRUTUS.

It hasn't often happened since the days of Brutus that a father has sat in judgment and passed sentence on one of his sons. The mention of an old Canadian judge's name in a newspaper recalls to me this incident in his life:—The son was addicted to liquor, and for drunkenness was sent home from Upper Canada College. At home he continued his career of worthlessness, and one night, out of mere drunken folly, picked a friend's pocket of his handkerchief, and thought it would be a rare piece of fun to take his watch also. The friend had the humorist arrested for highway robbery, and in due course the young fellow came before his own father, who sent him to the Penitentiary for five years and cut his name out of the family Bible. I would like to be able to say that the young man reformed. Historical accuracy, however, compels me to declare that he married, was suspected of a railroad robbery, started a livery stable, and drank himself to death.—*Montreal Letter to the Chicago Times.*

Birth.

At Belleville, on the 3rd inst., the wife of G. A. Darenport, of a son.

Belleville Markets.

Ontario Office, Apr. 5.

Barley, nominal.
Wheat, 1, 20 to 1, 25,
Oats, 46c.
Peas, 68c.
Rye, 70c.
Buckwheat, 60c. to 65c.
Beef, $4 to $5 for hind quarters, and $3 to $4 for fore quarters.
Apples, 60 to $1 00 per bag.
Dried Apples, $1 50 to $2 00 per bush
Lamb, 5c to 7c.
Mutton, 5c to 7c per lb.
Hams, 8c to 10c.
Butter, Roll, 20c to 25c.
Butter Tub, 20c to 25c·
Cheese, 7c to 9c per lb.
Eggs, 13c to 14c per doz.
Chickens, 30c to 35c per pair.
Sheepskins, 50c to $1.25.
Hides $4.00 to $6.00 per 100 lbs,
Calf Skins, None.
Lard, 11c to 12c.
Tallow, Rough, 4c to 5c per lb.
Tallow, Rendered, 6c to 8c.
Potatoes, $1.00 to $1.20 per bag.
Flour, $6 00 per bbl.
Hay, $10 to $12 per ton.
Pork, $6 to $6 50.
Geese, 35c to 50c.
Turkeys, 60c to $1 25.
Turnips, 30c to 35c per bush.
Onions, $1 00 to $1 50 per bush.
Wood, dry, Maple, $4.00 per cord.
Wood, dry, Beach, $4.00 per cord.
Straw, $2.00 to $3.00 per load.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, April 5.

Greenbacks buying at	94½ to 94¾
" selling at	95½ to 95¾
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	184½

Gold opened at 104¾; closed at 105.

NEVER TOO LATE TO MEND.

Procrastination. with many, is the besetting sin. Business and health alike suffer. Everything is postponed until "tomorrow." The hacking cough and the torpid liver are unheeded and unaided until consumption, jaundice, or abscess of the liver, becomes established. With the old method of medication these maladies were incurable, but by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery an entire cure is speedily effected. Under this positive tonic and searching alterative, "it is never too late to mend." Thousands in this, and other countries, who have been given up to die by eminent physicians, have taken it as a last resort, and been healed.

Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will be found mot efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have me with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remed and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable, there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshoness Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years'standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woolford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

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THE GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure o those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spina Affections Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

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$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale b all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D., Bible House, New York City. 3tawd&w6m

ON HAND.

JOHN J. SHEA,

CITY BILL POSTER,

DISTRIBUTOR AND PAPER HANGER.

Orders left at printing offices will receive prompt attention.

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

In Belleville, on

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office,
Town Hall, Belleville,
March 29, 1877.
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CLEARING SALE

At Store No. 351 Front Street, Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,

AT AND UNDER COST,

Which will be found worthy of attention

Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets,
Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered
Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces,
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Washing Trimmings in
great variety, Silk
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Embroidery Braids,
Silk & Velvet Ribbons,
Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk
and Wool Barege, Colored Silk
Velvets and Sattins, Berlin Wools,
Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns,
Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety.

Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.

Liberal Discount made to all Church Sewing Societies

JOHN COURTENAY,

March 13, 1877.

BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

From the Rev. B. Davis, D. D. Minister of the Baptist Church, Montreal.

I most willingly bear testimony to the good effects of Parsons' Exterminator. I found my presentdwelling overrun with beetles and roaches; one box has sufficed to exterminate the insects entirely from the house. Similar cases of success have occurred in the neighborhood. Benj. Davis, 4 Sydenham Place.
Montreal, 15 Nov., 1869.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. E. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

Mortgage Sale Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale continued in a certain mortgage which, will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

BELL & BELL.
Vendors Solicitors.

Belleville 17th March 1877. d6iw3i.

THANKS

To the Good People of Belleville,

AND vicinity for past favors and liberal patronage. No more fading Photographs. A new era in our noble art. J. W. Boyce, who has been so successful for a number of years in this city, will soon take a new name and bring before this generous community, a late and new discovery by Mr. Lambert, the genius of one of the sons of France, the birth of Degurre, the first ray of our art. This new discovery that we are about to bring before you is acknowledged by all Europe to be the greatest stride since the era of our profession. Without hesitation these pictures are imperishable, (so far as fading is concerned) and are equal to engravings for durability. As to finish, it is like glass itself. This process is being patented by Mr. Lambert in every country upon the Globe. We have the exclusive right of this as well as other counties. Be patient a few days and we will give you the finest work of the nineteenth century. We will give you perfect gems of art and you will please remember his work was awarded a medal in 1875.

J W BOYCE,
Photographer and Artist,

Belleville, Oct 26th, 1876.

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CLIMBING A VOLCANO.

ASCENSION OF THE PEAK OF ORIZABA.

Mr. D. S. Richardson, United States Secretary of Legation at Mexico, ascended in February last to the peak of Orizaba, or Citlatepetl, as it is called by the Aztecs, the star mountain of the Anahuac. He had previously climbed to the top of Popocatepetl, and from its summit had gazed out over a sea of clouds to the frozen top of its mighty rival, and now the position was reversed. Mr. Richardson was accompanied by Mr. Eustace Morphy, who with indomitable pluck held out to the last. The point from which the ascent of Orizaba is generally undertaken is San Andres Chalchicomula, a pleasant little town which lies directly under the great volcano, at its southwestern base. Here the sulphur miners and ice cutters come down to sell the products of their hazardous industry. The time selected, Feb. 5, was not at all favorable for the ascent. The miners and guides had all come down and reported the ascension impossible for several days to come. There had been no such storm in 50 years, they said, and to attempt to go up was perfect madness. Richardson and his companion yielded to their advice, and for a few days engaged in a hunting expedition—which, however was a failure in so far as finding game was concerned. They saw one rabbit, and heard wolves and coyotes howling, but that was all. They were high up the mountain side, the weather was pleasant, and, as they had plenty of provisions and no thought of care, they enjoyed the interval with a sense of absolute freedom. It was cold sometimes, and at night the little stars would look down freezingly through the tops of the pines as if in derision of their foolishness; but these discomforts were as nothing compared with subsequent ones.

At 1 o'clock on the 10th of February they began their climb up the mountain. For several hours their path wound up through the desolate ravines which separ-

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Remember this Large and Well Assorted Stock of New Goods Must Positively be Sold WITHIN 20 DAYS.

REMEMBER THIS ALSO, that when CHEAP JOHN CLOSES the public may expect HIGH PRICES AGAIN.

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At his New Store, Robertson's Block,
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CALL AT THE

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Now is the Time! SALE CONTINUES ONLY ONE WEEK

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The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 5.

ELSEWHERE will be found a condensed report of the finding of the Secret Service Committee yesterday morning. Sir John is asked to refund that $6,600 or give his reasons why.

THE West Durham *News* man is in Ottawa. His libel suit with the Hon. John Simpson comes on at the Cobourg Assizes this week. Our readers may draw what inferences they please.

THE disclosures in the Secret Service and Northern Railway Committee have created an intense feeling in the country. Members who have returned from the Easter visits to their homes report that there is fully as much indignation expressed with regard to the drafts Sir John drew on Mr. Cumberland for Sir Francis Hincks and other election expenses as was shown over the famous Pacific Scandal.

A PROMINENT [illegible]

Five men were killed by a colliery explosion which took place on Tuesday at the Great Bays Pit, Tilesley.

Sir Thomas Lennard, at Balhus, has granted a free site and subscribed £30 towards the erection of a Congregational chapel at Aveley.

Fredrick Treadway, the Pimlico murderer, is to undergo the punishment of penal servitude for life by direction of Her Majesty the Queen.

An equestrian portrait by Sir F. Grant of the Hon. F. Scott, retiring master of the Surrey Union fox hounds, has been placed in the Public Hall at Guilford.

There are about 9,000 Italian toilers by sea and by land engaged in procuring and preparing coral as an ornament for the various nations of the earth.

The Marquis of Northampton died last Saturday. He was in his sixty-first year, and is succeeded by his brother, Lord William Campton.

The proposed memorial to the late Lady Smith, the centenarian, is to take the form of a peal of bells to be placed in St. Margaret's Church, Lowestoft. The estimated cost is £2,300.

Six hundred million pounds sterling are invested in railways in the United Kingdom, and railway stock yields an annual income of £53,000,000. Some 250,000 persons are employed in connection with the British railways.

Some conscious stricken person has sent £2 to the Sheffield School Board as compensation for having damaged one of the Board Schools of the town. The nature of the injury is not stated.

The brewers, maltsters, hop-dealers, and wine and spirit merchants of the Midland Counties have formed an association to oppose Mr. Chamberlain's scheme for applying the Gothenburg system to Birmingham.

The Rev. Rees Prichard, Vicar of Llandyvodwg, Glamorganshire, was recently tried at the Brigend Petty Sessions and fined thirty shillings for using profane language in a railway carriage.

Referring to Mr. Gladstone's last pamphlet upon the Eastern question, the London 'Standard' says: "Mr. Gladstone is rich in rhetoric. His first pamphlet was called 'Bulgarian Horrors.' His second pamphlet is called 'Lessons in Massacre.'"

John Martin, a Dundee shoemaker, recently assaulted his wife and daughter, savagely felling them to the floor, and biting the latter on the back, to the effusion of blood. The Provost sent the cannibalistic brute to prison for the brief term of sixty days.

The Council of the National Education League have called a meeting for the 28th inst., for the purpose of disolving the organization, as they consider that its purposes have been attained, and the exertion of its members may now be properly merged in the general action of the Liberal party.

Among those who have passed the recent Cambridge Local Examination with honors is a lad named Farrar, who is absolutely deaf and dumb. He is under sixteen years of age, and has obtained a certificate for classics and mathematics. This is probably the first case of the sort in the United Kingdom.

In conformity with the decision arrived at by the International Conference of 1872 respecting the measures to be adopted with regard to diseases of animals, the governments of Italy and England have agreed to communicate reciprocally by telegraph all news relating to the cattle plague in their respective countries.

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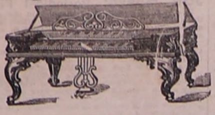

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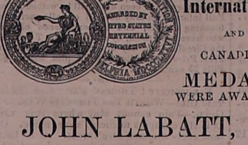

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Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
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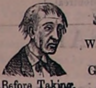

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GEO. W. MOORE
JOHN COX,

Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.

WITNESS—M. PRETTY.

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R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers

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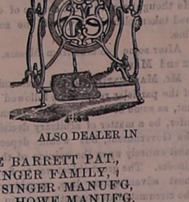

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Feb. 1st, 1877.

AFRICAN PIRATES.

A NEW YORK SCHOONER PLUNDERED AND BURNED BY SAVAGES ON THE CONGO RIVER. THE CAPTAIN'S STORY.

N. Y. Herald.

Messrs. Yates & Porterfield, of No. 115 Wall Street, who have been engaged for many years in the African trade, received information that on the 20th day of December, 1876, the schooner Joseph Nickerson, one of their vessels sent out by them with a cargo consisting of tar, turpentine, paint, oil, and eighteen tons of coffee already on board as a portion of the home cargo, had been boarded by negro pirates off Shark's Point, and after being plundered, totally destroyed. The following is a copy of the thrilling narrative related by Captain Yates to his owners, and is dated at St. Paul de Loanda, Africa:—

THE CAPTAIN'S STATEMENT.

I left Ambriz on the 18th December, and shaped a course for the Congo River. On the 20th December I arrived off Shark's Point. The cargo consisted of some tar, turpentine, paint oil and black lead, and about eighteen tons of coffee shipped in Ambriz. The wind was light, and the current very strong running out of the river; so in order to make the port of Banana I was obliged to hug the southern shore, and the forefoot of the ship took the sand about 12 o'clock in the day. I immediately had a kedge anchor carried out by the yawl under charge of the chief officer, and was succeeding in warping the vessel off, when a number of natives came off from Shark's Point. I should estimate them at between 400 and 500 in about 70 canoes. They swarmed about the ship and cut the hawser I had out to my kedge. I attempted to get another kedge out, but the natives prevented me. Three men came on board and tendered me assistance. They called themselves "King Peter's Son," "Jack Wash" and "Walker."

AN ATTACK BY SAVAGES.

After my hawser was cut I endeavored to make sail on the ship, thinking that as the ship was so nearly afloat the sails would drive her off; but the natives swarmed on the ship's side and with their knives cut the sails to pieces, rendering them perfectly useless. Up to this moment I had received assistance from the three men before mentioned, but after this all seemed to join in the plunder. Cabin doors were torn off; all the provisions and spare rigging were taken out of the 'tween decks, I cannot say for certain that these men took part in the plundering, but I afterwards saw many things belonging to the ship in the native's huts. Particularly I wish to mention a trunk belonging to Mr. Swanson, the mate, in the King's house. The pirates cut the coffee sacks open and carried away as much as they could. Four of my men and the chief officer took the yawl and went to Banana to the Dutch House for assistance, which was rendered on the following day. The agent, Mr. Bloener, and Mr. Youngblood, and about ten other European or white men, all well armed, came over with about 100 Kroomer, and drove the natives out of the ship. In fact the natives ran away when they saw the assistance coming, I left the ship about six o'clock in the evening of the day she took the beach, and going in a native canoe ashore was upset and nearly drowned. I consider this was intentionally done, as I heard one man say if I was drowned there would be an end to the palaver. The Dutchmen, after driving the natives out, examined the remainder of the cargo, and found the coffee so saturated with oil and tar, that had been spilled by the natives, as to be utterly worthless.

I must here state that on the arrival of the Dutchmen I went back on board the vessel and found her completely gutted, bulkheads gone, copper torn off, sails and rigging cut—in fact a perfect, useless wreck. I left after this, and shortly afterward discovered the vessel to be on fire. I cannot say by whom she was set on fire. I saved the ship's papers and chronometer, but lost all my own personal effects. I wish also to state that when I saw Mr. Swanson's trunk in the King's house I called his attention to it, and said,—

"If you are not playing me false, how comes it that this trunk is in your house?"

He said, in a sharp tone of voice:—"I know nothing about it. Some man must have brought it in here."

I make this statement just to show how much one can believe in the sincerity of their friendliness. The King also showed me a paper made between himself and Sir William Hewitt, K. N., of Great Britain, in which he was recommended as "a trustworthy man."

This letter is signed A. C. Yates, master of the Americen schooner Joseph Nickerson, late of New York. Further advices to Messrs. Yates & Porterfield, coming from St. de Paul de Loanda, inform them that Her Britannic Majesty's steamer Avon, on duty at that point, on learning of the outrage committed by the pirates, preceeded to Shark's Point and inflicted a severe punishment on the depredators. No American war vessel was on that portion of the African coast at that time to shield American commerce, no doubt on account of the malarious climate, Captain Yates and his wrecked crew were taken on board the African Royal Mail steamer Ethiopia by Captain J. W. Davis, and sent from Banana, Congo River, to London, whence they will be forwarded to this city by the American Consul.

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A REMEDY FOR DRUNKENNESS.

A firm of wine merchants in London have been trying a novel experiment during the past year, with a view of helping the men in the employ of the company to keep sober. The experiment is based on the theory that drunkenness comes mainly from the habit of resorting to public houses, and that this habit is contracted almost as a matter of necessity by workmen having nowhere else to go during the dinner hour. So the firm provided a dining room and reading room, and a boiler for cooking potatoes; and there the men and boys now take their dinners. As one result of the corporate feeling promoted by intercourse with one another during the noon hour, they have formed among themselves a library fund, out of which newspapers and magazines are provided for the reading room, and a deposit and loan bank, to which all the workmen are now subscribers. Under this arrangement, as stated by the merchants in a letter to the "Times," there has not been "a single instance of indiscretion or excess, or anything approaching it, in the matter of drink during the whole of last year. Not a boy or man has been absent without leave, and everyone has been in his place on the morning following our national holiday." The last mentioned fact, says the "Pall Mall Gazette," is especially worthy the attention of employers, and it adds that, "when men cease to find their pleasure in the public house during their dinner hour there is at least a chance that they will not go to the public house to look for it when the have had a day instead of an hour to themselves."—"Examiner."

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 6

THE Premier has announced that for the remainder of the session the House will sit on Saturdays, and that Government business shall have precedence.

SIR JOHN yesterday moved an amendment to the resolutions respecting duty on tea, and was defeated by a vote of 119 to 67.

MR. FLEMING says he never advised the late Government that the Pacific Railway could be constructed in ten years. But we know that the late Government was not always disposed to take advice from the Chief Engineer in such matters.

THE Russian authorities seem determined to crush out all secret societies the existence of which may prove inimical to the Government. For belonging to such societies and circulating treasonable literature, over one hundred and fifty persons are now on trial.

As we anticipated, the motion of the member for Lisgar, in favor of a prohibitory liquor law, has been accepted by the Reformers generally as an attempt to embarrass the Government. Mr. W. Ross made a telling speech in reply to the charges urged against his sincerity, and showed up the hypocrisy of the mover and seconder most effectively.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD has given notice that he will on Monday move for the issue of a writ for an election in Lincoln, in place of Mr. Norris, who has accepted a Government contract. This will bring the whole question before the House, and the responsibility of Mr. Norris in contracting indirectly to carry railway iron from Montreal will be finally settled.

THERE is much excitement in Ottawa over the Bowell-Anglin motion, which was expected to come up yesterday. At the time of writing we have no knowledge of what transpired. It is rumored that the Speaker will resign his seat, appeal to his constituents, and take their sense whether he was blameworthy or not. It is also known that unless a very good defence is put forward, some Liberal members are prepared to join in the vote of censure that will be proposed.

DR. SHULTZ voted for Sir John's buncombe protection amendment to the tariff resolutions of the Government. He has shown his willingness to increase the customs duties for Manitoba in conjunction with the rest of the Dominion. It is highly probable that for this expression of opinion on an important public question he will have to answer before his constituents in a way that may not be altogether pleasant. The people of Manitoba have no sympathy in the so-called "National Policy" of the Opposition. Instead of increasing the customs tariff they would rather have it reduced. It is not only convenient but absolutely necessary for them to purchase in the United States market. Any movement, therefore, that would have a tendency to make the cost of such articles as must be imported greater than at present is directly adverse to their wishes. But this is what Dr. Shultz has voted for.

"LIBERTY OF THE PRESS."

"Men who have all their lives been pulling the devil by the tail find themselves in office and in a position in which they may make a fortune in a few months. The avenues to wealth which office opens up are short and numerous. The temptation is great. One can easily conceive of a Government becoming a little organized band of brigands, and regarding the poor country as a helpless traveller thrown by whatever Providence waits on the deeds of robbers into their hands. Their attempts, however, to rifle their victim of his wealth and strip him bare cannot go very far where there is an outspoken press."

The *Mail* is making an heroic attempt to invoke public sympathy in the threatened libel suits by the Premier. The liberty of the press is discussed with an eloquence and unction that clearly demonstrate the interest taken in the subject just now. History is ransacked for examples wherewith to sustain the position assumed, and when history fails to respond, the fruitful imagination of the editor can supply whatever is wanting. Wilkes, Junius, Rev. Robt. Hall, Sheridan, and many others of equal or less fame in political and social annals, are appealed to for consolation in this hour of trial. The imputation that aught of a libellous character ever found publicity in the columns of the *Mail* is treated with cavalier unconcern. The country has been pirated for more than three years by a venal, corrupt Government; and the ostensible purpose for which that journal was established has been faithfully observed. A fearless sentry on the outer walls, the alarm has been sounded whenever occasion demanded, and timely warning given of the schemes for plunder and spoilation that were maturing within. For thus honorably serving the country in times of great danger to the best interests of the people, the whole power of the Government is to be employed in the administration of a punishment. When discussing the general principles that are involved in the question at issue, and presumably concerned for the impression to be made, the editor unconsciously slips into such choice sentences as those we place above. Accustomed as he has been for years to traduce and misrepresent the character of every man in public life who refuses to swear fealty to Sir John and the Tory party of Canada, he is incapable of writing a fair criticism without the indulgence of a license that has no relation whatever to the liberty of the press. Every sentence here quoted at random from an article reeking with slanderous abuse of the Premier and his associates in the Government, is part of a foul libel, and nothing else. To stab somebody beneath the fifth rib every morning has been the acknowledged motto of the *Mail*, and all its fine-spun theories at the present time will not divert public attention from the flagrant guilt with which it is charged.

Editorial Notes.

THE Provincial Police of Quebec will be disbanded on the 30th inst.

WALTER EVANS, a young lad of Toronto, shot a companion named Harris yesterday, wounding him critically.

KNOX CHURCH, Toronto, is much agitated over a proposition to introduce instrumental music in the worship.

MR. MARK IRISH took charge of the Rossin House yesterday. He intends refitting it thoroughly.

REVIVAL services are being held by the Methodist churches of Toronto, with good success.

JOHN KELIEY goes to the Central Prison for two years. He stole $15 from John O'Brien.

THE Ottawa *Free Press* will defend itself against the action for libel that Senator Miller will take.

THE workingmen of Ottawa have made demonstrations and demand either work or bread of the Government.

NEARLY 1,000 persons have pledged themselves to total abstinence at Sherbrook within the past three weeks.

THERE is great commotion in Custom House circles at Plattsburgh. Smuggled goods have been allowed to pass.

RUMORED that a young girl has been buried alive in St. Roch's recently. It lacks confirmation.

FINKLE'S carriage factory at Newburgh was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday night. About 300 buggies and waggons were burned.

[illegible] MONDELET, of Montreal, says he will stand his trial in the Court of Queen's Bench for alleged unprofessional practices.

HUGH COTTER'S grain warehouse at Port Nelson, with 5,000 bushels of grein, was destroyed by incendiaries on Wednesday night.

AN important reciprocal arrangement in respect to passenger traffic between Detroit and Buffalo has been effected between the Grand Trunk and Canada Southern.

WE don't feel so comfortable over our joint ownership in the *Mail* concern since Mr. Mackenzie started those libel suits. Our only consolation is that we have a hired manager on that paper whose chief duty is to run the risk of being put in jail when a scape-goat is wanted.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

WEDNESDAY, April 4th.

After routine and the passage of a number of motions for the returns, Mr. SMITH (Selkirk) moved for report of the engineers having reference to surveys in connection with the Canada Pacific Railway from Red River westward, south of Lake Manitoba.

Mr. RYAN said that so far as that part of the line was concerned it was too late to think of altering the route decided upon. He thought a very great change of opinion had taken place in favor of the southern line.

After some remarks from Messrs. SHULTZ and MASSON,

Mr. MACKENZIE said the determination of the particular route to be followed would not, as some of the speakers seemed to infer, be a matter of arbitrary decision by the Government, but would depend almost entirely upon the opinion of the engineers. The great object was to find the most advantageous line, considerng all the circumstances connecting certain fixed points on the route. He pointed out that the poor land lying along the Government route was only very small in extent, and that the line was the most direct one to the large and fertile areas of the North West. The running of such a survey as hon. members had asked for would involve a cost of $70,000 or $80,000.

Mr. TUPPER stated his intentions of taking an early opportunity of speaking upon the whole policy of the Government with regard to the Pacific Railway.

The motion was adopted.

Dr. SHOULTZ then moved a resolution declaring a prohibitory liquor law the only effectual remedy for intemperance, and that it is the duty of the Government to submit such a measure for the approval of Parliament.

Mr. FARROW, as seconder of the resolution, accused the member for West Middlesex of having receded from his position as an advanced prohibitionist, and proceeded to accuse that gentleman, the Premier, the Reform party generally of having degraded the question to one of mere political advantages.

Mr. ROSS (Middlesex) in the course of an exceedingly eloquent speech congratulated the temperance party upon their recently found proselytes in the persons of the member for Lisgar and the member for North Huron, and expressed the hope that these gentlemen were actuated by an honest desire for the advancement of temperance, though the speech of the seconder of the resolution scarcely justified that hope. In reply to the remarks of the member for North Huron, he referred to his (Mr. Ross') career as an advocate of Temperance, showing that so far from having made the question one of party, he had all along been most careful to prevent the temperance party from forming party alliances, knowing by the experience of the United States that such alliances would be more likely to injure the cause of prohibition.

He concluded by moving an amendment declaring the inexpediency of Parliament taking any action while the question of jurisdiction was still unsettled, but adhering to the declaration formerly made by the House on the question of prohibition.

The debate was continued by Mr. DYMOND, who had the floor at recess.

Mr. TROW'S Bill to provide greater convenience and safety for passengers on railways in Canada was, after some debate, read a second time and referred to Committee.

The Joint Stock Companies Bill, after being amended in Committee, was read a third time.

On the motion for the third reading of the Insolvency Bill, Mr. Caron moved an amendment to the effect that non-traders should be at liberty to accept a dividend in a trader's estate, and that the debt due to them should dot be discharged by any deed of composition or discharge granted by the judge, but that notwithstanding such discharge the non-trader should hold the insolvent liable for the balance of the debt.

After a discussion the House divided on the amendment, which was lost—Yeas, 56; Nays, 101.

The Bill was then read the third time.

EASTER VESTRY MEETINGS.

(From the Daily News.)

CHRIST CHURCH TYENDINAGA.

Church wardens—Messrs. Somson Green and Jacob B. Brant.

CARRYING PLACE.

All the Vestries have been postponed in consequence of Mr. Mulvany's serious illness, which makes it impossible for him to attend. The Church wardens are Mr. Francis Hale and Mr. William Flindall.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH TYENDINAGA.

Churchwardens—Messers. Nelson Maracle and Dow Claus, Lay Delegate for three years—Thomas Claus. The Vestry unanimously resolved to apply to the Indian Council to build a new kitchen to the Mohawk Parsonage, and to repair the Upper or All Saint's Church; also for an allowance of $50 per annum to Miss Lydia Hill, as Organist.

ST. MARK'S MILL POINT.

The Meeting was largely attended. Churchwardens—Messrs. W. G. Magar and Cornelius Oliver. The Vestry passed a resolution calling upon the Churchwardens to make enquiries regarding a suitable site for the proposed Church, and the terms upon which the same may be procured. The ladies, who mustered strong on the occasion, agreed to organize a sewing society as a means to help along the good work.

COMPLIMENTARY.

Renewing its interesting sketch of the debating talent of the House, the Hamilton *Times* has this to say of the brilliant young member for Athabaska:—

"Standing above the average is Mr. Laurier, a young man of high talent and character. Perhaps no member of the Commons presents an appearance more engaging and prepossessing. Classical in feature, intellectual in face and head, calm, self-possessed and dignified in manner, modest and retiring in disposition, yet effective though dispassionate when speaking the member for Athabaska is a model either for the young French or English members. In fact he is pleasing in every respect in the public eye and a bright future for him is painted by his friends. His language—he generally addresses the House in English,—is pure, cultivated, judicious—even classical in tone and purity. If he lives he will undoubtedly be a distinguished public man. Indeed, many ministerialists would be glad to see him in the Cabinet whenever a vacancy occurs."

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

TROUBLE IN GEORGIA.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The *Herald's* Atlanta special says:—The trouble at Crawford, Ga., was caused by Luke Johnson, the negro leader, claiming that he had been appointed Post Master. He was organizing negroes for an attempt to capture the Post Office.

AN IMPORTANT ARREST.

The *Herald's* Mexico special says:—A messenger was arrested as he was about to leave Vera Cruz for New York with correspondence for Lerdo, showing a conspiracy for the latter's return to the Presidency.

PACKARD ADVISED TO SUBMIT.

The *World's* New Orleans special says: A caucus of Packard's friends advised him to submit to the inevitable.

RECEPTION TO HAMPTON.

The *Herald's* Charlotte, N. C., special says Hampton had a grand reception. He said he went to Washington with the prejudices of a Southern Democrat, but he was happy to add he left most of his prejudices behind. He had the greatest confidence in the President. I believe him to be sincere, honest and determined to discharge his duties under the Constitution and Executive of this entire great nation. Hampton added that, having pledged himself to secure to the colored man all his rights and privileges under the Constitution and laws of the State, he was going to see it done, so help him God.

CHARGES AGAINST OFFICIALS.

The *Times* says Schurz has preferred charges against Governor Potts, of Montana, for accepting bribes. He is from Franklin Co., Ohio. Charges have been preferred against James Galloway, of Ills., Secretary of Montana.

A LARGE DEFICIT.

The Department of Justice is $500,000 short, but the courts will be continued as usual.

CUSTOMS AND INTERNAL REVENUES.

During the nine months ending March 31st custom receipts decreased as compared with those of former years over sixteen millions; internal revenue receipts increased over two millions; the decrease in customs expenditures were $6,500,000; the decrease in the aggregate receipts was about $15,700,000.

CHARGES AGAINST A CONTRACTOR.

The *Sun* says:—Charges have been preferred against H. B. James, Acting Chief of the Customs Division in relation to contracts for labor, he having favored certain contractors.

COMPROMISE REFUSED.

Secretary Sherman refuses all compromises.

CONTRACTORS TO BE LOOKED AFTER.

The *Tribune* says:—The Post Master General is determined to put a stop to favoritism to contractors in his department, and will compel contractors to keep their obligations faithfully.

TWEEDISM.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Attorney General Fairchild says he has no evidence to prove that money was paid by Tweed to Legislators, but he has pretty lively suspicions that people should wait and see.

HALL'S FLIGHT.

The *World's* London special says:—Oakey Hall's flight was caused by the ever recurring spectre of ring frauds. He said to the *World's* correspondent that he wished to be considered dead. The correspondent knows nothing of any woman with Hall. The *World's* new theory of Hall's flight is that he wished to convey the belief of his death so that his family might get the benefit of his life insurance of $60,000.

The *Sun* says:—The woman with Hall is Miss Blanche Grey, an actress, of no particular merit.

THE LOUISIANA MUDDLE.

Governor Kellogg writes to the *Times* declaring the Packard Legislature legal and a recognized body. He says, is there a fair minded man in America who will say that the Republican Presidential Ticket was elected and Packard and his state officers were not.

RETRIBUTIVE JUSTICE.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 6.—Wm. Calhoun, of Brocklyn, was run over and fatally injured by the cars. He had ruined a young lady at Lock Haven, and was fleeing from justice.

EUROPEAN.

THE PROTOCOL.

LONDON, April, 6.—The text of the protocol with its accompanying declarations has been published. The general tenor of the document is hostile to Turkey, the Porte being advised to place his army on a peace footing and execut reforms. The powers declare they will watch the progress of reforms and if the return of the complications is not prevented they reserve to themselves such action as circumstances may require. Count Schouvaloff appends a declaration that if the reforms are accepted Russia will disarm. Lord Derby's declaration states that the protocol shall be void if reciprocal disarmament is not attained.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

A DEFICIT DISCOVERED.

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—A deficit of $50,000 has been discovered in the accounts of Theodore Hanel, Clerk in the office of the Receiver of Taxes. The money was used in speculation.

MINERS' STRIKE.

PITTSBURGH, April 6.—The miners in the Connellsville District struck last night for an increase of 25 per cent.

FIRES REPORTED.

NEW YORK, April 6. Matt Goodersor's hotel, at Stromans Well, Flushing Bay, N. Y.; loss $10,000; Crocker's Block, Taunton. Mass.; loss $5,000; Moran's Saloon and five dwellings at Piedmont, West Va.; loss $12,000; Sweetzer's Block and Bancroft's Shoe Factory at Lynn, Mass.; loss $150,000.

A NEW MOVEMENT.

The *Graphic's* Washington special reports Grant's friends favoring a movement for his nomination to succeed Hayes.

A DISCOVERY.

It is stated that several bullet wounds have been found on the body of O. D. Jewett, one of the victims of yesterday's explosion.

SUGAR REFINERY COLLAPSED.

LONDON, April 6.—Finzel & Sons, of Bristol, who some time ago closed their sugar refinery, the largest in the world, have placed their affairs in the hands of their creditors; liabilities $2,500,000.

A Frenchman, animated by what he considers a laudable desire to promote the general public welfare, has afforded a reward of $250 to any English butcher who will introduce horse-meat to the attention of the London public. In France, last year, fifty-eight horse butchers sold 9,271 horses, asses and mules, against 6,865 slaughtered during the preceding year. There the business floursihes and the traffic in this kind of food is on a firm foundation.

SPRING ROOM PAPERS
AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of
ENGLISH ROOM PAPER
Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it
AT VERY LOWEST PRICES:
All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.
Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds.
An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.
J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.
April 6, 1877.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

IN the Matter of
FREDERICK STANLEY HAINES,
AN INSOLVENT.

A Writ of Attachment has been issued in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, No. 1 Temple Chambers, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on WEDNESDAY, the SECOND day of MAY next, at the hour of Two O'Clock in the afternoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit, and for the general ordering of the affairs of the estate.
Dated at Belleville this 4th day of April, A. D. 1877.
J. PARKER THOMAS,
1i Official Assignee.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,
E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD.
Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.
FRESH ORANG EMONS TO-DAY

OPERA HOUSE!
THREE NIGHTS ONLY.
COMMENCING
MONDAY, APRIL 9th.!
THEATRE ROYAL
COMPANY.
PATRONIZED by EARL DUFFERIN.
Admission 25 and 50 Cents.
Seats secured without extra charge at Harrison's Music Store.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at ou new store, 260 Front St.
A. E. FISH & CO.

HAMBLY'S
CONFECTIONERY,
Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.
All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered
At Lowest Reasonable Rates.
And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.
A NEW THING,
COCOA-NUT MACAROONS,
A most delicious Confection.
WEDDING CAKES,
CHRISTENING CAKES,
JELLIES, &c., &c.
Turkeys Boned, Dressed and Jellied.
Tongues Jellied and Ornamented,
Hams Cooked and Ornamented.
Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c,
MADE TO ORDER.
BREAD.
A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
PHIL. H. HAMBLY.
April 4, 1877.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of
WEDNESDAY, 11th INST.,
FOR
Lighting and Furnishing
ALL OF THE STREET LAMPS IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,
BURNING COAL OIL!
for one year from date of contract.
For further particulars apply to the undersigned.
SAMUEL HAMBLY,
Chairman of Fire, Water and Gas Com.
Belleville, April 4, 1877. 6i

FULL ASSORTMENT
—OF—
SPRING
DRY GOODS
NOW OPENED OUT
—AT THE—
GLASGOW WAREHOUSE.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY
FIRST-CLASS COAT HANDS,
Best Prices Paid.
T. C. TILLINGHAST,
Robertson's Block.
April 2, 1877. 3i

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having recently made an important change in our business in adopting the Strictly Cash System, we take this opportunity, on the opening of another season, to set before our customers and the public generally, some of the benefits of the Cash basis upon which we now seek to continue and extend our trade.

If the plan we propose meets with the general approval and support we anticipate, it will certainly be a benefit to ourselves, as it will undoubtedly prove an advantage to our customers.

To sell Cheaply one must buy Cheaply. With this in view we have made arrangements to pay prompt Cash ourselves for all our goods bought in Britain, thereby securing the advantage of discounts on purchases so made. And further, to save the great expense of going over to England every season, our purchases will henceforth be made by a resident buyer, one who is thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the Canadian trade, and who knows where to buy the various classes of goods the best and cheapest.

We have also secured the advantages afforded by large quantities being bought at one time. Though we are the largest importers of Dry Goods in this section of the Province, as is shown by the returns at the Custom House here, still the quantities required are not sufficient alone to give us access to the best markets. But now the person who buys for us is buying at the same time goods of a similar kind for other houses like ours throughout Canada and the United States, amounting in the aggregate to the value of from twenty to thirty times the amount of our order. By this means we get the benefit of large purchases, as well as obtain access to markets where we should be excluded if we merely had the buying of the comparatively small quantity we alone might need. And we may here mention what may not be generally known, that the terms of most of the larger manufacturers in England and Scotland are now Strictly Cash; and further, they are under obligations to the Middlemen, or Wholesale Dealers, not to sell any person under a certain quantity, generally a much larger quantity than any one retail house can handle. So, were we buying our own stock separately, even were it many times larger than it is, we should be compelled to purchase from others than first hands.

Our new stock of goods bought by us under the above arrangement is now forward, and will be found very complete, and we shall endeavour to maintain the assortment throughout the season, ordering goods as they are required. We would here invite all who may be needing articles for personal or household use to view the goods and see the prices.

We will continue to make it a rule, as we have hitherto done, that all customers on entering our premises shall be left entirely free to exercise their choice, and to buy or not, as they may see fit.
GEO. RITCHIE & CO.
Belleville, 2nd April, 1877.

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,
(de PARIS) the Experienced
Ladies Hair Dresser,
ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER
And Practical Wig Maker
At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.
Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.
PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.
☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.
Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,
HARDWARE STOCK
FOR SALE BY TENDER,

TENDERS for the assets en bloc of the estate of
JOHN LEWIS & CO.,
of Belleville, will be received by the undersigned until the 13th APRIL, 1877, the security offered to be named in the Tenders. The Assets consist of

Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
Book Debts " " "	5,250
Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

The stock, inventory, and list of debts can be seen, and all information obtained from Mr. James Hambly, on the premises, who is instructed to afford every facility to intending purchasers.
THOMAS DARLING,
Assignee.
182 St. James Street, Montreal,
29th March, 1877. td

FOR SALE.
100 Brls. Choice Apples.
AT
Ashley's Cheese Warehouse
G. T. R. STATION,
—AT—
$2 to $2.25 PER BBL.,
FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.
Also a lot of CULLS, at 50c to $1 per Bbl.
Orders left at C. F. Smith's Tin Shop, or Henry Canniff's Grocery, opposite Upper Bridge, will receive prompt attention.
Belleville, April 2nd, 1877. 7i

INSPECT OUR STOCK.
We have received the greater portion of our
SPRING STOCK OF
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c,
And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.
Goods will be shewn with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.
HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, April 5th, 1877.
N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

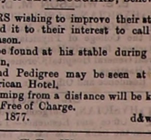
TO LET.
A CONVENIENT BRICK HOUSE, situated on the Corner of Geddes and Campbell Streets near Albert College. There are Six Bed-Rooms, Parlour, Dining Room, Kitchen, Wood Shead, Good Cellar, Hard and Soft Water, and Good Drive House and Stables. Apply to
RICHARD WELSH.
April 5, 1877. 3i

NOTICE.
ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.
DR. D. F. BURDETT,
Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

MILLINERY: 342. DRESS MAKING:
MISS BELLAIR. MRS. BELLAIR.
COSTELLO'S
Fashionable Millinery!
And Dress-Making
ESTABLISHMENT.

TO THE LADIES:
I beg to intimate the arrival and arrangement of a most complete assortment of Fashionable Millinery direct from the London, Paris, and New York Markets. I will show
On Thursday Next, April 5th,
ALL THE LEADING STYLES IN
Pattern Trimmed HATS & BONNETS,
French and English FLOWERS,
Real and Imitation LACES,
Ribbons, Plumes, and Fancy Ornaments,
together with a general assortment of the most Fashionable DRESS GOODS.
A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.
R. COSTELLO.

TAKE NOTICE!
THAT THE
Balance of the Stock
—OF—
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
AND
WOODENWARE!
Of the Estate of the
LATE JAMES KENNEDY,
WILL BE SOLD
At Whatever can be Got for it,
IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.
IN THE OLD STAND,
Opposite Smith's Tin Store,
BELLEVILLE
JAMES HENNESSY.



The Celebrated Imported
CLYDESDALE HORSE,
"Scott's Fusileer,"
The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville
FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.
He will be found at his stable during the whole season.
Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.
People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.
March 28, 1877. d&w3m

GO TO
A. N. PRINGLE'S
FOR
SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.
The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:
1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts
All other work in proportion to the above prices.
PLANING
As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.
REMEMBER that he is
DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.
ALL WORK WARRANTED.
Feb. 14th, 1877, d&w3m

HOOEY & SON
BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,
Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,
With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS
We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.
☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.
HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express,	6.50 a m
No. Express,	6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 6.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Licenses.—The number of applications for tavern licenses here this year is 25.

Doubtful.—A rumor is current in town today that the streets will be cleaned in a short time. There must be some mistake.

Chance to get Bargains at the great Bankrupt Sale in Walsh's Commercial House, on Saturday.

The Ferry.—The ferry stamer "Prince Edward" made her first trip for the season of 1877 at nine o'clock this morning.

Walsh's Bankrupt Stock to be sold off, regardless of Cost, commencing on Saturday next.

The Free Hotel.—Seven tramps were provided with accommodations at the free hotel last night.

Personal.—Rev. Mr. McLean, of Belleville, will preach in the Presbyterian Church in Trenton this evening at half past seven o'clock.

Personal.—Dr. G. L. Van Black of Prince Edward County, has been appointed Physician and Surgeon of the Canadian Association of San Francisco.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, noted for its profuse and elaborate decorations and elegant table, now offers the same accommodations at a reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

"Peter Cartwright, the Eccentric Preacher."—Rev. Dr. Jaques, of Albert University will deliver a lecture on the above subject in Ottawa, on Monday evening next.

Harry Lindley.—This well known amusement caterer assisted by a dramatic company will perform in the Opera House here on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreable treatment at the Colonnade Hotel.

Corporation Guests.—For a small place, Trenton is a very hospitable one, as since the 12th of last month 42 tramps have been entertained at the village lodging house.

The Iron Mines.—The iron mines at Marmora have not been worked for a year. In view of the fact that there was a good demand for iron last year, the question naturally arises "why is this, thus."

Light Houses.—The lighthouses in the vicinity of Port Hope were lit for the first time this season on Sunday night last. This would be interesting news to yessel owners if there was anything doing.

Look out for Great Sale of Bankrupt Stock at Walsh's Commercial House, commencing Saturday next, 7th Inst.

Wild Geese.—A large flock of wild geese passed over the town, in a southerly direction, yesterday morning; a sign of cold weather if we may rely on the word of the oldest inhabitant.

Graduated.—In the list of graduates of the Ontario Veterinary College we observe the name of Mr. R. W. Newton of Belleville, who received a silver medal. Mr. N. practiced with Dr. Drinkwater here last summer.

When?—The Weekly *Globe* of to-day contains a very good view and historical sketch of the rising town of Galt. When will Belleville be similarly treated, as promised! The "City of the Bay," will make an excellent illustration, if properly photographed.

Progress.—The Campbellford "Herald" says:—"It is only twenty-eight!! years ago since the Grand Junction Railway was first thought of, and already the company have got as far as the appointment of its Directors." Another evidence of its progress is to the fact of its having a couple of interesting lawsuits on hand.

Slightly Damaged.—By the fire which destroyed the steamer "Norfolk" at Napanee yesterddy, the schooner "David Andrews" which was lying a short distance astern of her was slightly damaged. It is now thought the fire was the work of an incendiary.

A Conundrum.—A contemporary propounds this conundrum:—"Which is the most to be pitied, the poor man with a rich mother-in-law, or the rich man with a poor mother-in-law?" We unhesitatingly answer, both.

The Roads.—Under the influence of the warm weather the roads are drying up rapidly, and will soon assume a fair condition—an announcement which cannot fail to please the owner of a horse and rig, or the chap who wants to see his girl who resides in the country.

—**Gone West.**—Madame Clayton has evidently decided not to favor our town with a visit though it was announced by poster that "she was coming." She will hold forth in Port Hope on Saturday evening. Our eastern contemporaries speak highly of her efforts whilst the Kingston "Whig" holds her in fond rememberance.

Letter Boxes.—We observe by our exchanges that places a great deal smaller than Belleville have been provided with the letter box system. We are equally as well entitled to such a boon as St. Thomas—and even more so, as it is not near as populous as Belleville. It was thought probable last year that a Custom House and Post Office would be built here this season, and we only hope that such will prove to be the case and especially so as a proper Post Office is badly needed here.

The "Norseman."—This popular steamer left Port Hope yesterday with a load of cattle for Charlotte, from which place she will proceed to Port Dalhousie, there to go into dry dock for the purpose of having her bottom planks scraped and caulked, after which she will commence running regularly.

A Cloak Room.—A cloak room—under the superintendance of Mr. Tammadge, has been provided at the Opera House, where patrons of amusements whilst visiting the theatre can have their overcoats, wraps, cloaks, umbrellas &c, left. Thus has a much needed want been supplied.

The G. J. R. Dispute.—Will those who are interested in the premises hurry on this matter, as the people of this town are anxious that work on the road should commence at as early a day as possible! Everybody here wants the road, and the sooner work is begun on it the better.

Body Recovered.—On Wednesday as an ice boat was skipping around over the glacial surface of the harbor it broke through. After it was taken out on the firm ice, the body of the man McDonald who was drowned last fall (as detailed in the Ontario at that time) came to the surface, and was shortly after taken out.

Centennial Exhibitors' Medals.—The whole of the medals for the exhibitors at the Centennial Exhibition, including those of the Canadian as well as of the American Commissioners, and the certificates, are now in the hands of Mr. Perrault the Secretary, and have been fowarded to their destinations.

Fire in Newburgh.—Finkle's carriage shop and wood-work department was destroyed by fire yesterday morning at three o'clock. Twenty-threee waggons and buggies which were ready to be set up and a quantity of tools were burned. The loss is from $4,000 to $5,000; no insurance. The M. C. Church was damaged to the extent of $200; insured.

Fun for the Boys.—A number of men and boys, assembled on the docks last night to witness the work of making a channel through the ice for the ferry. The boys after a time proceeded to one of the schooners near Pope's dock and amused themselves by swinging on the rigging. Such amusement as that may be innocent but at the same time it does not improve the condition of a schooner's rigging.

Peterborough Items.—A meeting of the Boating Club will be held on Monday evening next, when the officers will be elected.—Spiritual manifestations were exposed by Messrs. Randolph and Cecil on Friday evening last.—Two frame buildings on George Street, were destroyed by fire on Monday afternoon.—The steamer "Golden Eye" is being prepared for the season of navigation.—Twenty-nine applications have been received for licenses.

Trenton Items.—There is a considerable quantity of wheat stored in the elevators.—Mr. C. Golding has sold his farm of 80 acres, situated two miles from the village, for $4,000.—A maple sugar festival takes place this evening in Purdy's Hall.—The work of erecting the spire on the new Methodist Church has been begun.—The Firemen's annual concert takes place on Tuesday evening next.—Mrs. Mason lectured on Tuesday evening to a full house.—Building promises to be brisk, as already contracts for the erection of a number of houses have been let.

Kingston Items.—The work of cleaning the streets has been begun.—It is expected that the K. & P. R. will be built as far as the Mississippi this year.—The concert in aid of the funds of the Sunday School of St. George's Cathedral, and which took place on Wednesday evening, was well attended.—The "Pierrepont" was expected to cross to Cape Vincent to-day.—The cabmen were moved to the new stand on Ontario Street yesterday.—Rumors regarding scandalous proceedings at the House of Industry are flying around, as several very objectionable actions have taken place there lately.

The Moving Season.—There is an old time, first of-May look already in the streets. Notices, "For Sale or To Let," are coming out as rapidly as a cattle rash. Removals have commenced. The furniture piled cart is already on its travels. The unhappy family of weak limbed and scarred chairs, beds and tables shewing traces of a dozen removes and one or two fires, are jolting along the street. Weary-looking women are hunting new apartments. The street door-bell does double duty. Tenants, as ever, are hunting for those never-to-be-found apartments which shall combine all the perfections:—Water within easy reach, no crying baby near, no man practicing on the accordeon, landlady all sunshine and neatness, no street noises, car or carriage rumbles and rattles, view of something beside brick wall two feet from window—but these things are impossibilities.

Police Court.

(Before A Diamond, Esq, P. M.)

Friday, April 6.

THE MARKET BY-LAW.

Joseph Green, Mrs. R. McCormick, Alfred Ellis Edmund Snell, William Doran, and R. H. Bennett, were charged with violating the provisions of the market bylaw in regard to the sale of fresh meat. The several cases were laid over till Monday.

THE FERRY PRIVILEGE.

John Jellett, lessee of the ferry, charged Francis Hebert and John Bucken with violating his privilege by ferrying passengers in a row-boat. After hearing evidence, the Magistrate announced that he would decide the case on Monday.

A RUMOR.

Rev. W. J. Hunter, pastor of the Dominion Methodist Church, Ottawa, has gone to Chicago. It is rumored among the members of his congregation that he has been offered the rectorship of Bishop Fallow's Reformed Episcopal Church at Chicago, and that he visits that city to complete arrangements for accepting the position. It is also said that he will be appointed a bishop over a Canadian diocese.

OUR POST OFFICE.

We shall take it for granted that no other town in Canada of equal size and commercial importance is so inconveniently situated, as regards Post Office accommodation, as Belleville. The building in which our postal business is at present transacted is totally unfit for the purposes to which it is applied. The facilities for waiting upon the public are very deficient, and not unfrequently the annoyance becomes quite unbearable. No blame whatever can be attached to the Postmaster or his assistants. They always exert themselves to meet the wants of the public; but their best efforts are not always successful. The Government, we believe, has been more than once appealed to for such assistance in the erection of a building specially designed for Post Office purposes as is reasonably expected. Had our local members that influence at Ottawa we would wish, a favorable response might have been received ere this. But, aside from all political considerations, we shall expect to see an appropriation for the building of a Post Office at Belleville in the next annual Estimates. The Government will undoubtedly give us what is so manifestly our deserts, and we ask our representatives in both Houses to use their good offices in furthering the movement. We could with equal justice make a claim for a Custom House; but perhaps too much importunity, especially when the financial market ebbs so alarmingly, might defeat the object sought.

THE FERRY.

We congratulate the farmers of Prince Edward and the merchants of Belleville on the pleasing fact that the Ferry steamer commenced running this morning. And we congratulate ourselves, too, for having been instrumental in calling attention to the unwarrantable state of affairs that existed, and in benefitting the public to the extent we have. Had it not been for the action taken by this Journal a few days ago, and which was so readily seconded by the people, there would have been no ferry transit for several days yet. We do not seek to annoy or injure the lessee. His best interests shall be as zealously guarded by the Ontario as those of any other citizen of Belleville. But we do hold ourselves ready at all times to speak for the people and advocate their interests whenever circumstances demand our assistance. There is just a bit too much of a monopoly in the present management of our ferry, and monopolies are sometimes dangerous. We shall find no particular fault, however, so long as the lessee shows a due regard for public convenience. The boat must be laid up where she can be made available for crossing at the earliest possible date in the spring. She must, also, be kept in commission as late in the fall as the state of the weather will permit. The inclination seems to be, not to incur expenses beyond the ordinary cost of running the boat under favorable auspices. Where so extensive an interest is involved a little more deference to the wishes and neccessities of the people should be shown. The journey around by the Carrying Place, a distance of nearly 30 miles, is not pleasant either in early spring or late fall. Still, this journey has to be taken by many at great inconvenience, and when, we believe, the boat could be used without much trouble or expense. It is maintained by old and experienced residents that by means of a little exertion the ferry may be opened and the boat in regular commission not latter than the 15th of March each year. There are undoubtedly exceptions, but we believe the average record will bear out this calculation. At any rate, the amount of business depending on the ferry makes it imperatively necessary that the lessee should study other than his own interests, and do all that is possible to meet the requirements of his contract; and this, we have reason to believe, Mr. Jellett is fully resolved to do.

THE BUTCHER'S STALLS.

The crusade against persons selling fresh meat in stores outside the market is attracting a large share of interested attention. We are authorized to speak for the housewives, and those whose places of residence and business engagements prevent them from attending the market at necessary hours. They ask for a continuance of the convenience that has been enjoyed for some time, and that the sale of fresh meat be allowed in shops located throughout the town. Hundreds of families do not keep errand boys to do their bidding, and the privilege of buying such necessaries at convenient distances from their homes is very highly appreciated. We trust the Council will heed the prayer of many and protect the sale of fresh meat in places outside the market stalls.

INTERESTING TO LIQUOR DEALERS.

At the Division Court for the Township of Beverly, which was held on Tuesday, an interesting case came up for trial. It was an action entered by Nelson Willits against George Vansickel, hotel-keeper of Lynden, under the 42nd section of the Temperance Act of 1864, to recover damages from the defendant for selling liquor to a brother of the plaintiff, who is in the habit of drinking to excess, and it appeared that defendant had been properly notified by the plaintiff not to sell or give in any way to the said brother any intoxicating liquor, but that he (Vansickel) had seen fit to disregard the notice—and hence this action to recover damages for the offence. The case was evidently one in which the public took very considerable interest, as there was a large attendance at the court. The judge gave a verdict for plaintiff for $30 damages and costs.

This and That.

—Harriton is to have a town bell, weighing 1,030 pounds.

—Mr. Simeon Powell, of Seaforth, is sick with rheumatic fever.

—The Dunkin Act will be voted on in Raleigh on the 19th inst.

—The name of North Ridge post office has been changed to Cottam.

—Wild ducks have appeared in large numbers lately in the vicinity of Rondeau.

—The "red-ribbon" organization is spreading. A lodge has been formed at Kingsville.

—Messrs. Melville & Smith, from St. Catharines, are about erecting a large planing mill in Manitoba.

Specialties.

—A mummy is something that keeps mum.

—The lazy man's greatest force is force of habit.

—A teetotaler can never prove a friend at a pinch because he has a horror of a "nip."

—At last the principal business thoroughfares boast of dry sidewalks. For this relief much thanks.

—If the old saying is true, that "April hates March grass," it will have little to feed its anger on this year.

—If it were not for free temperance meetings, with collections, the uses of coppers would be limited.

—"Then farewell, false one!" cried the young man, and he turned and was gone forever. It was in Trenton, and the false one had, in her anger, filled the door frame with her foot, shutting out at once her lover and the light of day.

—When a man jumps out of bed in the dark to fling a boot at a Joint High Commission of cats in the back yard, and places his bare foot on an eight-cornered piece of coal, his wife wants to stick her fingers tightly in her ears if she would escape hearing several pages of profane history in less than two minutes.

—One of the saddest things in life is, that we so soon forget. Even those who have stood by us in the days of our trouble, sometimes fade from our memory ere the effects of our trouble are over. 'Tis so all through our checkered existence, and this brings the thought that many a snow shovel is to-day standing solitary and alone in a corner of the cellar as if it had never been, or that its glory had forever departed.

—According to high medical authority, the practice of wearing high-heeled boots peryerts the natural relations of the articulation and the muscular action, transposes the individual functions of the oscalcis and the plantor arch, the consequence of which is injury to the malleolus; inflamation ensues in the calcaneo-cuboid articulation, and it requires great care to prevent the displacement of the articular surface.

—Spring comes with a great deal of deliberation. Spring is in no hurry. People may don spring fashions if they please and young men may leave off their overcoats and look very blue, pinched and uncomfortable in the chilly air, but spring cannot hurry up to please them. It is a contest between fashion and spring. But beware of spring. Winter may have gone, but stick awhile to winter garments. There are coughs, colds, consumptions, funerals, coffins, burials in this raw atmosphere.

NINETEEN YEARS IN A CAVERN.

The French papers say the discovery has just been made in the environs of Pont-Buthou (Eure) of a young woman whom her parents have kept confined in a cavern for nineteen years. They fed her on the refuse of vegetables and stale bread. The unfortunate creature had nearly lost all resemblance to the human being. The nails of the hands and toes had grown to an extraordinary, length and curving round had penetratedinto the flesh. The state of the cave was indescribable. She has completely lost the faculty of speech, and only utters groans and cries most horrible to hear.—Great precautions had to be taken in bringing her from the den into the light. An investigation has been commenced.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, April 6.

Greenbacks buying at	94½ to 94¾
" selling at	95¼ to 95¾
American Silver buying at		45
British Silver		15
Sterling exchange	184½	

Gold opened at 104⅞; closed at 105.

Montreal Markets.

MONTREAL, April 6.

Flour—Receipts 1695 barrels. Market active and firmer with improved speculative demands. Sales, 50 barrels Hoxalls at 8.25; 100 choice strong bakers at 6.75; 800 medium bakers at 6.40 to 6.50; 500 spring extra at 6.35 300 do at 6.35; 500 do at 6 35.

Grain and provisions unchanged.

Ashes—Pots firmer. Firsts from $4.07½ to $4.15; Pearls nominal.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 6, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 12,240 Shipments 4 517. Market weak, 15 to 20cts. lower; packers and shippers buying very sparingly; 5.00 to 5.25 for mixed heavy to packers; 5 25 to 5.60 for fair to choice for shipping.

New York Markets.

New York, April 6, 1877.

Gold—105.

Cotton—Weak, 11 9-16.

Flour—5 and 10cts better; receipts 8,000 barrels; sales 13,000 barrels. Rye flour firm at 4 25 to 5.00.

Wheat—About 1ct. better; No. 2 148; Chicago 150 to 151 No. 2 millers; receipts 2,000 bush; shipments 25,000 bushels.

Rye—Firm.

Corn—Shade firmer; 95,000 bush.; sales 30,000 at 54½, 55, 56, 57.

Barley—Quiet. No. 1 at 93 to 96; 2 rowed at 60 to 65 six do at 65 to 70.

Oats—Firmer. Receipts 10,000 bush; sales 21,000 bush. 45 to 55c for mixed; 44 to 58 for white.

Pork—Dull at 15 00.

Lard—Quiet at 9.80.

Butter—12 to 23c.

Cheese—15 to 30c.

Petroleum—Crude 10⅞ to 11c; refined 16¼.

Another Sufferer Cured—Discharged from the Massachusetts General Hospital as incurable, with inflammatory rheumatism in my shoulders, fingers and feet; suffered fearfully for three years: tried everything: lost all hope. Giles' Liniment Iodide of Ammonia effected a complete cure. ELLEN SMITH, No. 71 Plane street, Fall River, Mass.

Sold by all Druggists.

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have me with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remed and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

☞ Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have cold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

Note—Eclectric—Selected and Electrized

E GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure o those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETO

$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale b all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

IN BELLEVILLE, ON

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office,
Town Hall, Belleville,
March 29, 1877. td

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

CLEARING SALE

At Store No. 351 Front Street, Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,

AT AND UNDER COST,

Which will be found worthy of attention
Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets,
Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered
Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces,
Sewed Muslin Embroideries,
Washing Trimmings in
great variety, Silk
and Worsted
Embroidery Braids,
Silk & Velvet Ribbons,
Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk
and Wool Barege, Colored Silk
Velvets and Sattins, Berlin Wools,
Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns,
Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety.
Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering
Silks. An early inspection solicited.

Liberal Discount made to all Church Sewing Societies.

JOHN COURTENAY,
March 13, 1877.

BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

From the Rev. B. Davis, D. D. Minister of the Baptist Church, Montreal.

I most willingly bear testimony to the good effects of Parsons' Exterminator. I found my presentdwelling overrun with beetles and roaches; one box has sufficed to exterminate the insects entirely from the house. Similar cases of success have occurred in the neighborhood. Benj. Davis, 4 Sydenham Place. Montreal, 15 Nov., 1869.

Mortgage Sale Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale continued in a certain mortgage which, will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

BELL & BELL.
Vendors Solicitors.

Belleville 17th March 1877. d6iw3i.

☞ ON HAND. ☜

JOHN J. SHEA,
CITY BILL POSTER,
DISTRIBUTOR AND PAPER HANGER.

☞ Orders left at printing offices will receive prompt attention.

SPRING OPENING
—AT—
FOSTER, BARBER & BRIGNALL'S
TO-MORROW THURSDAY.

WE invite all the Ladies to visit our store and Show Rooms To-morrow, and carefully inspect our Stock of New Goods and Note our Prices, feeling satisfied we can convince a thoroughly posted public that our facilities for procuring a First-Class Stock, direct from the producers, *on the Very Best Terms*, is unequalled in this part of the Province.

We make a Specialty of the FANCY DRY GOODS TRADE, and from experience find that it can only be done successfully by visiting the Old Country Markets each season and selecting the CHOICEST GOODS when they first appear, as were we to trust to a person who buys for a number of houses in different parts of so large a country as Canada, we would often get goods totally unsuited to our trade.

This season our stock is UNUSUALLY ATTRACTIVE, and will be sold at EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES.

Belleville, April 4th, 1877.

ROME FALLS.

FREE TRADE TRIUMPHANT.

CHEAP JOHN!
SELLING OUT
HIS IMMENSE STOCK
For the Benefit of His Creditors.

Commencing on Monday March the 26th,
CHEAP JOHN
WILL OFFER HIS ENTIRE STOCK OF

Groceries,	Dry Goods,
Ready-Made Clothing	Boots and Shoes,
Hardware,	Crockery, &c.

In Lots to Suit Purchasers, at Prices
LESS THAN COST OF PRODUCTION.

As his whole stock
MUST BE SOLD WITHIN 20 DAYS
All desirous of obtaining
GREAT BARGAINS
WILL CALL EARLY.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS will find this an EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY to Replenish their Stocks as the Goods WILL BE SOLD at Prices Much Lower than they can be IMPORTED FOR.

Remember this Large and Well Assorted Stock of New Goods Must Positively be Sold WITHIN 20 DAYS.

REMEMBER THIS ALSO, that when CHEAP JOHN CLOSES the public may expect HIGH PRICES AGAIN.

COME ONE. COME ALL.
AND OBTAIN GREAT BARGAINS FROM
CHEAP JOHN,
At his New Store, Robertson's Block,
Next Door to the Red Front Store

CALL AT THE
DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE
339 FRONT STREET, BELLEVILLE,
And INSPECT the IMMENSE STOCK DAILY ARRIVING
ALL THE LATEST STYLES.
GOODS SHOWN WITH PLEASURE
JOHN GRANT.

FANCY AND SPORTING GOODS DEPOT
338 *FRONT STREET, Entrance to Foot Bridge.*
GOODS AT COST.
BARGAINS. BARGAINS.
Now is the Time! SALE CONTINUES ONLY ONE WEEK
FRED S. HAINES.

HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS That R HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS
NEW AMERICAN,
ENGLISH,
AND CANADIAN
SPRING HATS
FURS AT MANUFACTURERIS COST!
AT GOLDSMITH & DAVENPORT'S
OLD STAND

A NICE LOT OF
ROOM PAPERS
JUST OPENED

And a very large lot Just Arrived per Steamships "Sardinian" and "Peruvian," which will be in and opened in a few days, at

J. C. OVERELL'S
FANCY EMPORIUM

A WONDER OF THE DEEP.

A MARINE MONSTER FIFTY FEET LONG FOLLOWS A BRITISH STEAMSHIP.

In the month of October last the British steamship Nestor arrived at Shanghai from the Straits of Malacca. Shortly after the anchoring of the vessel at Shanghai, John K. Webster, the master, and James Anderson, the ship's surgeon, appeared before Mr. Donald Spence, acting Law Secretary in Her Brittanic Majesty's Supreme Court, and made affidavit to the following marvellous statement of facts:—

We, John Keiller Webster, of Liverpool, do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows: And, first, I, the said John Keiller Webster, in command of the said steamship Nestor, do declare that on Monday, the 11th day of September, at 10:30 a.m., 15 miles northwest of North Sand lighthouse in the Straits of Malacca, the weather being fine and the sea smooth, the air perfectly clear, I saw a little forward of the beam on the starboard side, about 200 yards distant from the ship, an object first pointed out to me by my third officer, who remarked, "There is a shoal." Surprised at finding a shoal in such a well-known track, I watched the object and found that it was in movement, keeping up the same speed with the ship, and retaining about the same distance as when first seen. The speed of the ship was nine and three-quarters knots, and the object was moving parallel with us during six minutes. Just after I observed it, the Chinese deck passengers discovered it and raised a great outcry, and about the same moment it was descried by three saloon passengers and the surgeon. The shape of the creature, for that it was alive there is no doubt, I would compare to that of a gigantic frog. Referring to the head and body, as far as they were apparent above the water—the head, of a pale yellow color, was about twelve feet in height, and six feet of the crown was above the water; occasionally the head subsided until only a foot or a foot and a half remained above the water. I tried in vain to make out the eyes and mouth; the mouth, however, may have been below water. The head was immediately connected with the body, without any indication of a neck. The body was about 45 to 50 feet in length, and of an oval shape, perfectly smooth, but there may have been a slight ridge along the spine. The back rose some five feet above the surface. An immense tail, fully one hundred and fifty feet in length, rose a few inches above the water. This tail I saw distinctly from its junction with the body to the extremity; it seemed cylindrical, with a very slight taper, and I estimate its diameter at four feet. The body and tail were marked with alternate bands of stripes, black and pale yellow in color. The stripes were distinct to the very extremity of the tail. I cannot say whether the tail terminated in a fin or not. I examined it carefully at the above mentioned distance, but could not satisfy myself how the tail terminated. The creature possessed no fins or paddles as far as we could perceive, never having seen any part of its belly. I cannot say if it had legs. It is very possible that the creature was much broader and more massive than the dimensions above given, for the great part of it was evidently under water, and we never caught a glimpse of any but the extreme upper parts. It appeared to me to progress by means of an undulatory motion of the tail in a vertical plane. The tail seemed to have an independent motion; that is to say, a quicker and a different one from the body. The head would rise slowly and the body simultaneously lower, and *vice versa*. The undulations of the tail were brisker and very distinct, and I closely watched them through good glasses. I had for some moments the idea of running the creature down, but I shortly dismissed the intention on account of the danger of breaking the screw blades. The creature showed no sign of fear, I cannot say if it was conscious of our presence. It finally dropped under our stern and passed over the port side, somewhat slackening its speed. Some time afterwards, however, it increased its pace, and when last seen was on our port beam, at about one and a half to two miles disant. The creature formed a distinct wake, and seemed to exude an oily matter as he moved. And secondly, I, the said James Anderson, do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows, namely, that the shape and colour of as much as was distinguishable of the creature bere an almost exact resemblance to the upper part of a salamander; the stripes, however, were rather more definite, yellow (the peculiar yellow of a salamander) alternating with deep black. There were eight to ten stripes on the back. I almost immediately said, "It is an enormous salamander,, and the more I examined it the more I was satisfied of the resemblance. The back was much higher, some eight or ten feet at times, than the head and tail. I was standing on the deck, and from my position I could no form any opinion of its mode of progression. It wos apparently of a gelatinous (i. e., flabby) substance. Though keeping up with us, its movements seemed lethargic. I saw no eyes cr fins, and am certain that the creature did not blow or spout in the manner of a whale. I should not for a moment compare it to a snake. The only creatures it could be compared with are the newt or frog tribe.

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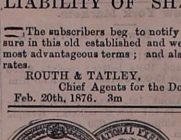

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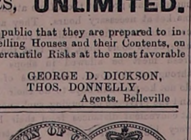

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THE HIGH CRIME OF NOT INSURING.

> "Let him appoint officers over the land, and take up the fifth part of the land of Egypt in the seven plenteous years."

These were the words of Joseph, the president of the first life insurance company that the world ever saw. Pharoah had a dream that distracted him. He thought he stood on the banks of the River Nile, and saw coming up out of the river seven fat, sleek, glossy cows, and they began to browse in the thick grass. Nothing frightful about that. But after them, coming up out of the same river, he saw seven cows that were gaunt and starved, and the worst looking cows that had ever been seen in the land, and in the ferocity of hunger they devoured up their predecessors. Pharaoh, the king, sent for Joseph to decipher these midnight hieroglyphics. Joseph made short work of it, and intimated that the seven fat cows that came out of the river are seven years with plenty to eat, the seven emaciated cows that followed them are seven years with nothing to eat. "Now," said Joseph, "let us take one-fifth of the corn crop of the seven prosperous years, and keep it as a provision for the seven years in which there shall be no corn crop." The king took the counsel and appointed Joseph, because of his integrity and public spiritedness, as the president of the undertaking. The farmers paid one-fifth of their income as a premium. In all the towns and cities of the land there were branch houses. This great Egyptian Life Insurance Company had millions of dollars as assets. After a while the dark days came, and the whole nation would have starved if it had not been for the provision they had made for the future. But now these suffering families had nothine to do but go up and collect the amount of their life policies. The Bible puts it in one short phrase: "In all the land of Egypt there was bread. I say this was the first life insurance company. It was divinely organized. It had in it all the advantages of the "whole life plan," of the "Tontine plan," of the "reserved endowment plan," and all other good plans. We are told that the Rev. Dr. Anhate, of Lincolnshire, England originated the first life insurance company in 1698. No! it is as old as the corn cribs of Egypt. God himself was the author and originator. If that were not so I would not take your time and mine in a Sabbath discussion of this subject. I feel it as a theme, vital, religious and of infinite import, the morals of life and fire insurance. It seems to me it is time for the pulpit to speak out.—We are in the midst of a great insurance agitation. The air is full of charges of mismanagement and fraud. We hear of bogus agents who have been arrested; of receivers who have been appointed to take refractory companies into their custody; of grand juries who have indicted other companies for perjury, and of a company which had in its hand the prospective support of many widows and orphans that is charged with a deficit of nearly a half million dollars. So great has been the agitation that there are some people who have denounced all life insurance companies as impioes and a nuisance that needed to be quelched. Against this life insurance panic, in the name of God and the best interests of society, I solemnly protest. In all business occupations there are failures and losses and dishonesties.—Ninety-eight out of one hundred men in every kind of business fail. In 1857 there were at least eight thousand failures in various styles of merchandise outside of those of insurance companies. Are these failures anything against traffic in dry goods, or groceries, or hardware? And shall you allow failures or ill behaviour on the part of three or four insurance companies to kindle suspicions in regard to the most magnificent institution which has ever existed for the temporal support and the earthly welfare of the human race? It is easy enough to denounce life insurance companies and demand that they call in their loans until all the agricultural and mercantile and manufacturing and ecclesiastical interests of the land are shipwrecked; but is it fair thus to treat the prince of human institutions? Where does that institution stand to day? What amount of comfort, of education, of moral and spiritual advantage is represented in the simple statistic that in this country the life insurance companies in one year paid seven million dollars to the families of the bereft, and in five years they paid three hundred millions of dollars to the families of the bereft, and are promising to pay, and hold themselves in readiness to pay two thousand millions of dollars to the families of the bereft. They have actually paid out more in dividends and in death claims than they have ever received in premiums. I know of what I speak. The life insurance companies of this country have paid more than seven millions of dollars of taxes to the Government in five years. So instead of these companies being indebted to the land, the land is indebted to them. Now, I say that a man who will raise a panic against these companies for the reason that three or four of them have not behaved well, is as preposterous as a man who should burn down a thousand acres of harvest field in order to kill the moles and the potato bugs; as preposterous as a man who should blow up a crowded steamer mid-Atlantic for the purpose of destroying the barnacles on the bottom of the hulk. But what does the Bible say in regard to the subject? If the Bible favours the institution, I will favour it; If the Bible denounces it, I will denounce it. In addition to the forecast of Joseph in the text, I call to your attention Paul's comparison. Here is one man who through neglect fails to support his family while he lives or after he dies. Here is another man who abhors the Scriptures and rejects God. Which of those men is the worse? Well, you say the latter. Paul says the former. Paul says that a man who neglects to care for his household is more obnoxious than a man who rejects the Scriptures. Timothy, 5th chapter and 8th verse: "He that provideth not for his own, and especially those of his own household, is worse than an infidel." Life insurance companies help most of us to provide for our families after we are gone, but if we have the money to pay the premiums and do not pay them, we have no right to expect mercy at the hand of God in the judgment. We are worse than Tom Paine, worse than Voltaire, and worse than Shaftsbury. The Bible declares it—we are worse than an infidel. After the certificate of death has been made out, and the thirty or the sixty days have passed, and the officer of a life insurance company comes into the bereft household and pays down hard cash on an insurance policy, the officer of the company is preforming a positively religious rite, according to the Apostle James, who says, "True religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, to visit the fatherless and the widow in their afflictions," and so on. The religion of Christ proposes to take care of temporal wants of the people as well as the spiritual. Just after the battle of Antietam there was a man found distributing religious tracts, and a Christian merchant came up to him and said; "What are you distributing tracts here for? there are three thousand men out yonder who have not had their wounds bound and they are bleeding to death—you go and bind up their wounds and then distribute the tracts. I think that was good healthy gospel. When Hezekiah was dying, the injunction came to him, "Set thy house in order, for thou shalt die and not live." That injunction in our day would mean, 'make your will; settle up your accounts; make things plain; don't deceive your heirs with rolls of Jay Cooke's Northern Pacific Railroad bonds; don't deceive them with deeds for Western lands that will never yield any crop but chills and fever; don't leave for them notes that have been outlawed, and second mortgages on property that will not pay the first: "Set thy house in order." That is, fix up things so your going out of the world may make as little consternation as possible. See the lean cattle devouring the fat cattle, and in the time of plenty prepare for the time of want.

The difficulty is, when men think of their death they are apt to think of it only in connection with their spiritual welfare, and not of the devastation in the household which will come because of their emigration from it. It is merely selfish for you to be so absorbed in the heaven to which you are going that you forget what is to become of your wife and children after you are dead. You can go out of this world without leaving a dollar and yet die happy if you could not provide for them; you can trust them in the hands of God who owns all the harvests and the herds and the flocks; but if you could pay the premiums on a policy and neglected them it is a mean thing for you to go up to heaven while they go into the poor house.—You, at death, move into a mansion, river front, and they move into two rooms in the fourth story of a tenement house in the back street. When they are out at the elbows and knees, the thought of your splendid robe in heaven will not keep them warm—The minister may preach a splendid sermon over your remains and the quartette may sing like four angels in the organ loft, but your death will be a swindle. You had the means to provide for the comfort of your household when you left it, and you wickedly neglected it.

"Oh," says sone. "I have more faith than you; I believe when I go out of this world the Lord will provide for them. Go to Blackwell's Island, go through all the poor houses of the country, and I will show you how often God provides for the neglected children of neglected parents. That is, He provides for them through public charity. As for myself, I would rather have the Lord provide for my family in a private home, and through my own industry, and paternal and conjugal faithfulness. "But," says some man. "I mean in the next ten or twenty years to make a great fortune and so I shall leave my family, when I go out of this world, very comfortable." How do you know you are going to live ten or twenty years? If we could look up the walk of the future, we would see it crossed by pneumonies, pleurisies, and consumptions, and colliding rail trains, and run away horses, and breaking bridges, and funeral processions. Are you so certain you are going to live ten or twenty years, you can warrant your household any comfort after you go away from them? Besides that, the vast majority of men die poor! Two—only two out of a hundred succeed in business. Are you very certain you are going to be one of the two? Rich one day, poor the next. A man in New York got two millions of dollars, and the money turned his brain and he died in the lunatic asylum. All his property was left with the business firm, and they swamped it; and then the family of the insane man were left without a dollar. In eighteen months the prosperity, the insanity, the insolvency, and the complete domestic ruin. Besides that there are men who die solvent who are insolvent before they are under the gronnd or before their estate is settled up. How soon the anctioneers mallet can knock the life out of an estate. A man thinks the property worth $15,000 under a forced sale it brings $7,000. The business man takes advantage of the crisis, and he compels the widow of his deceased partner to sell out to him at a ruinous price or lose all. The stock was supposed to be very valuable, but it has been so "watered" that when the executor tries to sell it he is laughed out of Wall Street, or the administrator is ordered by the surrogate to wind up the whole affair. The estate was supposed, at the man's death, to be worth $20,000; but after the indebtedness has been met, and the bills of the doctor and the undertaker and the tomb stone-cutter have been paid, there is nothing left. That means the children are to come home from school and go to work. That means the complete hardship of the wife turned out with nothing but a needle to fight the great battle of the world. Tear down the lambrequins, close the piano, rip up the Axminister, sell out the wardrobe, and let the mother take a child in each hand and trudge out into the desert of the world. A life insurance would have hindered all that.

But says some one: 'I am a man of small means, and I can't afford to pay the preminm.' That is sometimes a lawful and genuine excuse, and there is no answer to it; but in nine cases out of ten, when a man says that he smokes up in cigars, and drinks down in wine, and expends in luxuries enough money to have paid the premium on a life insurance policy which would have kept his family from beggary when he is dead. A man ought to put himself down on the strictest economy until he can meet this Christian necessity. You have no right to the luxuries of life until you have made such provisions. I admire what was said by Rev. Dr. Guthrie, the great Scottish preacher. A few years before his death he stood in a public meeting and declared, "When I came to Edinburgh, the people sometimes laughed at my blue stockings and my cotton umbrella, and they said I looked like a common ploughman, and they derided me because I lived in a house for which I paid thirty-five pounds rent a year, and oftentimes I walked when I would have been very glad to have a cab; but, gentlemen, I did all that because I wanted to pay the premium on a life insurance that would keep my family comfortable if I should die." That I take to be the right expression, of an honest, intelligent Christian man.

The utter indifference of many people on this important subject accounts for much of the crime and the pauperism of this day. Who are these children sweeping the crossings with broken broom and begging of you a penny as you go by? Who are these lost souls gliding under the gas-light in their shawls? Ah, they are the victims of want; in many of the cases the forecasts of parents and grandparents, who might have prohibited it. God only knows how they struggle to do right. They prayed until the tears froze on their cheeks, they sewed on the sack until the break of day, but they could not get enough money to decently clothe themselves; and one day in that wretched home the angel of purity and the angel of crime fought a great fight between the empty bread tray and fireless hearth, and the black-winged angel shrieked, "Aha! I have won the day."

Says some man, 'I believe what you say; it is right and Christian, and I mean some time to attend to this matter." My friend, you are going to lose the comfort of your household in the same way the sinner loses Heaven by procrastination. I see all around me the destitute and suffering families of parents meant some day to attend to this Christian duty. During the process of adjournment the man gets his feet wet; then came chill and delirium, and the doleful shake of the doctor's head, and the obsequies. If there be any thing more pitiable than a woman delicately brought up, and on her marriage day, by an indulgent father, given to a man, to whom she is the chief joy and pride of life, until the moment of his death and then that same woman going out with helpless children at her back to struggle for bread in a world where brawny soul and rugged muscle are necessary—I say if there be anything more pitiable than that I do not know what it is—And yet there are good women who are indifferent in regard to their husband's duty in this regard, and these are those positively hostile, as though a life insurance subjected a man to some fatality. There is in this city to-day a very poor woman keeping a small candy shop, who vehemently opposed the insurance of her husband's life, and when application had been made for a policy of $10,000 she frustrated it. She would never have a document in her house that implied it was possible for her husband ever to die. One day in the quick revolution of machinery his life was instantly dashed out. What is the sequel? She is with annoying tug making the half of a miserable living. Her two children have been taken away from her in order that they may be clothed and schooled, and her life is to be a prolonged hardship. Oh, man! before forty eight hours have passed away appear at the desk of some of our great life insurance companies; have the stethoscope of the physician put to your heart and lungs, and by the seal of some honest company decree that your children shall not be subjected to the humiliation of financial struggle in the dark days of your demise. But I must ask the men engaged in life insurance business whether they feel the importance of their trust, and charge them I must, that they need divine grace to help them in their work. In this day, when there are so many rivalries in your line of business, you will be tempted to overstate the amount of assets and the extent of the surplus, and you will be tempted to abuse the franchise of the company, and to make up the deficits of 1877 by adding some of the receipts of 1878; and you will be tempted to send out mean anonymous circulars degrogatory to other companies forgetful of the fact that an anonymous communication means only two things; the cowardice of the author and the inefficiency of the police in allowing such a thing to be tolerated anywhere save inside the penitentiary. Under the mighty pressure many have gone down, and you will follow them if you have too much confidence in yourself and do not appeal to the Lord for positive help. But if any of you belong to that miscreant class of people, who, without any financial ability, organize themselves into what they call a life insurance company, with a pretended capital of $200,000 or $300,000, then vote yourself into the lucrative position, and then take all the premiums for yourself, and then at the approach of the State superintendent, drop all into the hands of those life insurance undertakers whose business it is to gather up the remains of defunct organizations and bury them in their own vault—then I say, you had better get out of the business, and disgorge the widows' houses you have swallowed. But my word is to all those who are legitimately engaged in the business. You ought to be better than other men, not only because of the responsibility that rests upon you, but because the truth is ever confronting you, that your stay on earth is uncertain, and your life is a matter of a few days or years. Do not those black edged letters that come into your office make you think? Does not the doctor's certificate on the death claim, give you a thrill. Your periodicals, your advertisements, and even the lithography of your policies warn you that you are mortal. According to your own showing the chances that you will die this year are at least two per cent. Are you prepared for the tremendous exigency. The most condemned man in the judgment day will be the unprepared life insurance man, for the simple reason that his whole business was connected with human evil, and he cannot say, "I did not think." His whole business was to think on that one thing. O my brother, get insured for eternity. In consideration of what Christ has done in your behalf, have the indenture this day made out, signed and sealed with the red seal of the cross.

But I have words of encouragement and counsel for those of my hearers who are engaged in the fire insurance business. You are ordained by God to stand between us and the most raging element of nature. We are indebted to you for what the National Board of Underwriters and the convention of chiefs of the fire department have effected through your suggestions and through your encouragement. We are indebted to you for what you have effected in the construction of buildings and in the change in the habits of our cities; so that by scientific principles orderly companies extinguish the fire instead of the old time riots which used to extinguish the citizens! And we are indebted to you for the successful demands you have made for the repeal of unjust laws—for the battle you have waged against incendiarism and arson—for the fatal blow you have given to the theory that corporations have no souls, by the cheerfulness and promptitude with which you have met losses, from which you might have escaped through the technicality of the law. I do not know any class of men in our midst more high toned and worthy of confidence than these men, and yet, I have sometimes feared that while your chief business is to calculate about losses on earthly property, you might, without sufficient thought, go into that which in regard to your soul, in "hazards" "extra hazards," "special hazards." An unforgiven sin in the soul is more inflammable and explosive than camphine or nitroglycerine. However the rates may be—yea though the whole earth were paid down to you in one solid premium, you cannot afford to lose your soul. Do not take that risk lest it be said hereafter, that while in this world you had keen business faculty, when you went out of the world you went out everlastingly solvent. The scientific Hitchcocks and Sillimans and Mitchells of the world have united with the sacred writers to make us believe that there is coming a conflagration to sweep across the earth, compared with which that of Chicago in 1871, and that of Boston in 1872, and that of New York in 1835, were a mere nothing. Brooklyn on fire! New York on fire! Charleston on fire! San Francisco on fire! Canton on fire! St. Petersburg on fire! Paris on fire! London on fire! the Andes on fire! the Appenines on fire! the Himalaya on fire! What will be peculiar about the day will be that the water with which we put out great fires will itself take flame, and the Mississippi, and the Ohio, and the St. Lawrence and Lake Erie, and the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and tumbling Niagara, shall with red tongues lick the heavens. The geological heats of the centre of the world will burn out towards the circumference, and the heats of the outside will burn down from the circumference to the centre, and this world will become not only according to the Bible, but according to science, a living coal—the living coal afterward whitened into ashes, the ashes scattered by the breath of the last hurricane, and all that will be left of this glorious planet will be the flakes of ashes falling on other worlds. Oh! on that day will you be fireproof, or will you be a total loss? Will you be rescued or will you be consumed? When this great cathedral of the world, with its pillars of rocks, and its pinnacles of mountains, and its cellars of golden mine, and its upholstery of morning cloud, and its baptismal font of the sea, shall blaze, will you get out on the fire-escape of the Lord's deliverance? days were made, may it be found that Oh! on that day, for which all other these life-insurance men had a paid up policy, and these fire insurance men had given them, instead of the *debris* of a consumed worldly estate a house not made with hands eternal in the heavens!

Some anxiety caused by the late failure of several American Life Assurance Companies, at present existing in the public mind as to the safety of Life Assurance Offices generally, the Canada Life deem it proper to point out to assurers that the course pursued in the management of that Company's affairs removes from it the dangers of disastrous results, such as the incompetency and fraud in the management of the American Companies alluded to, have brought upon them.

MODE OF CONDUCTING BUSINESS.

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Every applicant for Life Insurance is examined by one of the Company's medical advisers, whose report, with those of the referees and agents, being previously carefully scrutinized by the chief medical advisers at the Head Office, and by the Managing Director there, are thereafter brought before the Board of Directors for consideration. By the exercise of such care and caution, a high standard of assured lives is maintained, such as removes from this Company the danger which must inevitably result from the pursuit of a less careful course; and to the caution exercised in that way is doubtless to a large extent to be ascribed the fact, that the CANADA LIFE *has never contested a claim.*

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SHIPPING ON THE LAKES.

(From the Detroit Post.)

The growth of our lake marine has been one of the wonderful things in connection with the development of this region. Previous to 1816 the number and tonnage of lake craft were very small indeed. In that year steam was first introduced upon Lake Ontario, and a year or two later upon Lake Erie. But the growth of commerce was slow. There was but little for vessels to do, and steam navigation was very far from the perfection it has now attained. It was not until the tide of emigration set westward that the prosperity of the lake marine was assured. With the settlement of Michigan and the opening up of the Western territory vessels were in demand and found profitable employment. In 1840 there were forty-eight steamboats on the lakes, the largest being of about 750 tons burden. The estimated cost of these was $2,200,000. There were in that year 250 vessels, the largest being of 250 tons. It is estimated that the capital then invested in sail vessels was $1,250,000, making a total investment of lake marine $3,450,000.

In 1862 the classification was as follows:—Steamers, 396; schooners, 1,066; barks, 74; brigs, 85; sloops, 16; total tonnage, 412,127. The value then was estimated to be fully $23,000,000.

The lake marine reached the height of its prosperity in in 1872, when there were 868 steamers, with a tonnage of 172,483; 3,208 sail vessells of all kinds, with a tonnage of 310,368; and 1,553 barges, with a tonnage of 254,453, making a total of 737,304 tons. The panic of 1873; and the subsequent business depression have told heavily upon the lake trade, but this is believed to be only temporary, like the effect upon other departments of commerce. The number of tonnage of all the craft on the chain of lakes at the close of the year 1876 were as follows: Steam vessels, 885; tonnage 169,682. Barks, 66; tonnage, 24,526. Brigs 16; tonnage, 2,945. Sloops, 68; tonnage, 4,699. Scows, 179; tonnage, 8,541—making a total tonnage of 504,765, a falling off of over 100,000 tons. The number of steamers has remained about the same and the number of vessels has been reduced nearly one-half. The depreciation and decrease in value have been even more.

In 1845 there were upon the lakes above Niagara Falls 60 steamers, 8 of which were propellors; 270 schooners and 50 brigs, with an aggregate of 76,000 tons. There were on Lake Ontario 13 steamers, six of which were propellors, and 100 sail vessels, with an aggregate tonnage of 18,000. The estimated value at that time was $5,590,000. Ten years later the number of craft on the lakes increased to the following: Steamboats, 110; propellors, 97; schooners, 639; brigs, 101; barks, 33; sloops and scows, 216; tonnage, 237,830. The value was estimated to have reached $10,000,000. From that time onward the growth was very rapid. Three years later the tonnage had reached 387,748, and the valuation $15,000,000. The number of steamers had increased to 312 and sail vessels to 1,130.

—A ten-year old daughter of Mr. G. Collison, of Colchester, has just completed a patchwork quilt of 1,153 pieces.

PAPA'S LETTER.

I was sitting in my study,
Writing letters, when I heard,
"Please, dear Mamma, Mary told me
Mamma mustn't be 'isturbed.

"But I'se tired of the kitty,
Want some ozer fing to do,
Witing letters, is 'ou, mamma?
Tan't I wite a letter, too?"

"Not now, darling, mamma's busy;
Run and play with kitty now."
"No, no, mamma, me wite letter—
Tan if 'ou will show me how."

I would paint my darling's portrait
As his sweet eyes searched my face—
Hair of gold and eyes of azure,
Form of childish, witching grace.

But the eager face was clouded,
As I slowly shook my head,
Till I said, "I'll make a letter
Of you, darling boy, instead."

So I parted back the tresses,
From his forehead high and white,
And a stamp in sport I pasted
'Mid its waves of golden light.

Then I said, "Now, little letter,
Go away, and bear 'good news.'"
And I smiled as down the staircase
Clattered loud the little shoes.

Leaving me, the darling hurried
Down to Mary in his glee.
"Mamma's witing lots of letters;
I'se a letter, Mary—see!"

No one heard the little prattler,
As once more he climbed the stair,
Reached his little cap and tippet
Standing on the entry stair.

No one heard the front door open
No one saw the golden hair,
As it floated o'er his shoulders
In the crisp October air.

Down the street the baby hastened,
Till he reached the office door,
"I'se a letter, Mr. Postman;
Is there room for any more?

"'Cause dis letter's doin' to papa;
Papa lives with God, 'ou know,
Mamma sent me for a letter,
Does 'ou fink 'at I tan go?"

But the clerk in wonder answered,
"Not to-day, my little man."
"Den I'll find anozzer office,
'Cause I must do if I tan."

Fain the clerk would have detained him,
But the pleading face was gone
And the little feet were hastening—
By the busy crowd swept on.

Suddenly the crowd was parted,
People fled to left and right,
As a pair of maddened horses
At a moment dashed in sight.

No one saw the baby figure—
No one saw the golden hair,
Till a voice of frightened sweetness
Rang out on the autumn air.

'Twas too late—a moment only
Stood the beauteous vision there,
Then the little face lay lifeless,
Covered o'er with golden hair.

Reverently they raised my darling,
Brushed away the curls of gold,
Saw the stamp upon the forehead,
Growing now so icy cold.

Not a mark the face disfigured,
Showing where a hoof had trod;
But the little life was ended—
"Papa's letter" was with God.

A FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE.

A correspondent writing from London, says: Some months ago I received from a correspondent in Scotland an exciting account of a dashing feat of horsemanship by a lady of rare courage and exquisite beauty. The story appeared in one of the journals, and my friend followed it up by sending me cabinet portraits of the heroine. He informed me that she was a lady of birth and wealth, and that she was going, he feared, to give her family umbrage by entering upon a course of professional study for the stage. She had signified her intention of removing to London, and as she was an orphan and of age, no one had any control over her. She would call upon me for advice, and she hoped I would do all I could for her. One day her ladyship called. She was all my correspondent's fancy had painted her. Tall, a dainty figure, with sparkling eyes, and a healthy complexion. Miss Ogilvie Bruce spoke with a slight Scotch accent, and added an additional charm to her musical voice. She was splendidly dressed, and she was evidently quite innocent of London life. She thought she would place herself in the professional hands of Hermann Vezin. "But I have not come to London to act alone. I have been in the habit of writing for the press. I have a diploma as a practitioner in one of the Scotch hospitals. I studied politics. I have written a play; and so you see I have a good many irons in the fire. What I want to do first, is buy a newspaper."

"Have you a large fortune?" I asked.

"Yes," she replied, smiling.

"Then you had better have a theatre as well as a newspaper," I said, "if you are anxious to get your trouble over quickly."

"You think you are talking to the inexperienced girl described by your Edinburgh correspondent," she said. "Let me undeceive you; I have been my own mistress almost since I was a child, and have had a long career of work; I have invested money in many strange ventures and never lost any; I am lucky, and when you talk of my having a theatre sarcastically, you don't dream that before six months are over my head I shall have a newspaper and a theatre; I can afford it."

"You have agents or solicitors, Miss Bruce," I asked.

"Of course; oh, yes," she said.

"Then ask their advice before you embark in those speculations."

"No, no; I never ask their advice; I simply tell them what I want; I want you to advise me, and if you will let me know of any good newspaper in the market for sale, I will buy it. And, though I would not hurt your feelings for the world, I shall ask you to make it a business matter between us."

"Pardon me," I said; "I will be no party to an enterprise that cannot fail to be a source of serious anxiety to a lady whom I am asked to help with my advice. Why, do you know how much money has been invested in the little journal in the office of which you are now sitting?"

"I have not the least idea," she replied.

"Twenty thousand pounds," I said.

She was not frightened.

"And I would sell it for a couple of thousand this moment—but not to you, not to you."

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The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 7.

Mrs. Anglin, the accomplished wife of the Speaker, occupied a seat in the Speaker's Gallery on Thursday night, in anticipation of the attack upon her husband. She is a very handsome woman, and popular in society.

There are few people in Canada who will not readily endorse what the new Provincial Secretary said about a retired public servant, when addressing his constituents in South Brant on the occasion of his recent re election. Mr. Hardy is reported to have said :—

> "Dr. Ryerson has been for thirty years a standing pillar in this country ; he has built up an educational system that is unequalled in the world. The Conservatives would have offered him a pension long ago. He was as good as six Ministers politically. He went out with a pension of a thousand pounds per year. It was done by every man in the House voting for it. The sixth minister goes now to take the place of Egerton Ryerson."

Dr. Tupper was greatly disappointed on Thursday because the ruling of the Speaker confined his remarks to the tea duty. He had prepared an elaborate denunciation of the general fiscal policy of the Government, and expected to have a chance to overhaul Mr. Cartwright in characteristic style. In consequence of the limit that was placed upon his utterances, the harangue that followed was one of the rawest, crudest and most ill-digested ever listened to on such a subject. The orator and his friends were mutually disgusted, and the House was immensely bored.

There was another scene in the House on Thursday night. The Speaker ruled that, as the general policy of the Government had been discussed when the first resolution was moved, any further debate on the remaining resolutions must be confined to the subject-matter of each one as it was taken up. This decision was so directly antagonistic to the object the Opposition had in view that Sir John, Dr. Tupper, Mr. Masson and others essayed to shew their disapproval in a way scarcely parliamentary. Sir John was livid with rage, and declared that the Opposition was being cheated out of its rights. Mr. Mackenzie flatly denied that there was any collusion between himself and the Speaker, and declared his readiness to meet the Opposition and see whether the Government enjoyed the confidence of the House.

Mr. Cartwright has announced that duties would be collected upon all kinds of tubing imported, but that no proof being shown that the tubes had been put in boilers they would be refunded. The reason for this is that when boiler tubes have been made free and a duty kept upon gas tubes, there have been innumerable attempts to defraud the revenue by endeavoring to pass gas tubing as boiler tubing. The former are easily manufactured, but the others are not. It is believed under the proposed arrangement both will in time be made in this country.

We are seldom disappointed in looking for an honest expression of opinion in the Kingston *Daily News*, even when party allegiance would point to something quite different. Referring to the report of the Committee, having the Secret Service Fund under investigation, our contemporary says :—

> "We agree with the report submitted that Mr. Langton should have informed the new Minister of the existence of an unappropriated balance, and, as we remarked yesterday, it would have been much better had Sir John Macdonald intimated the same fact to his successor."

This is substantially what Mr. Mackenzie contended for at the outset, and it is what Sir John now says he is sorry was not done.

The examination of the papers relative to the contract for transporting steel rails to the West, shows that among the parties who gave Cooper, Fairman & Co. the power of attorney to contract with the Government for their carriage by steamers, managed by the Lake and River Navigation Co., was Mr. Norris, M. P. for Lincoln. It is believed that this act places Mr. Norris in a very serious position, as far as his seat and certain penalties are concerned, and some of his friends have advised him not to sit and vote until the matter is decided. The contract was made during Mr. Mackenzie's absence in England and while Mr. Huntington was acting Minister of Public Works.

TORY DEMONSTRATIONS.

Is it the intention of the Conservatives of Canada to encourage proceedings similar to those that disgraced their party in 1849, and culminated in the destruction of the Parliament Buildings in Montreal? The demonstrations that have taken place at Ottawa during the present session, though professedly for other purposes, have a suspicious significance, and certainly create considerable anxiety in the minds of those who look upon rebellious advocacy of political claims with aversion. The tumult over Mr. Roy's election for Kamouraska, harmless though it was, had an ulterior object in view. It was planned by the party of which Mr. Roy is regarded as a shining light, and was intended to make an impression in favor of the alleged Conservative reaction. Unfortunately, however, the return of a Liberal candidate for the same county a few days later completely spoiled the effect of all that was attempted, and changed the views of many. During Thursday another "demonstration" was on the *tapis*, and though ostensibly non-political in design, it is difficult for most people to disconnect it from a well-conceived party movement. Hundreds of so-called workingmen congregated in the Parliament Square, and after indulging in the usual platitudes about "work or bread," made a threatening demand for the Premier. He was forcibly waited upon by a few of the leading characters while engaged in important committee business, and his attendance outside roughly solicited. Not being cognizant of what was expected of him, and unable to accede to so unexpected a demand, Mr. Mackenzie politely but firmly declined the invitation. It was then that the old Tory instincts once more came to the surface. Crowds of boisterous men rushed into the building and soon filled the upper corridors, much to the annoyance and inconvenience of those engaged on committees. It was with considerable difficulty that the door of the room in which the Banking Committee was sitting could be closed, as several of the leaders of the mob stoutly resented. A conspicuous position being taken, harangues were made in which Mr. Mackenzie received anything but complimentary references, while Sir John was lauded in a corresponding ratio. Mayor Waller did all that was possible to discourage the demonstration, and pointed out to the men the only proper course for them to pursue in the premises. If they wanted work or were destitute, it was not in the power of the Premier to relieve them ; and even supposing he could meet their wishes, application should be made through the proper sources. It is true apologies were subsequently made for the abrupt conduct of the first part of the proceedings, but it is difficult to attribute the pow-wow to any other than political motives on the part of the Conservatives, who are compelled to resort to desperate means in order to save their party from utter demoralization.

Editorial Notes.

Col. Campbell, *alias* Tupper's "goose," has gone home, and will not return this session.

Mr. Belford, of the *Mail*, left Ottawa last night for Toronto. He is scarcely able to travel, but anxious to get home.

Public opinion in Montreal is opposed to a reduction of the policemen's salary.

John Henly, a laborer of Exeter, aged 48 years, poisoned himself last Thursday night by taking a dose of arsenic.

Bnsiness on the Welland Canal, it is expectedd, will be more brisk during the coming season than last.

Mr. B. F. Underwood, of Boston, the Free Thought lecturer, will deliver addresses in Toronto on the 14th, 15th and 16th inst.

It is anticipated that the proceeds of the cattle trade between England and Ontario this season will amount to two hundred thousand dollars.

Indications point to an early opening of navigation at Quebec. The first steamer of the season is expected to arrive on or about the 20th inst.

The session of 1877 of the Presbyterian College, at Montreal, was brought to a close on Wednesday at a meeting at the Erskine Church. Sixty-one students attended the classes during the year, and about forty will undertake missionary work during the summer.

At the Bruce Assizes, George Arnold was convicted of manslaughter, for the killing of Edwin Green, by striking him on the head with a stone whilst engaged in a dispute. Judge Galt sentenced him to three months' imprisonment in the common jail.

The University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, conferred degrees on twenty-eight ladies during the scholastic year just closed. Of this number fifteen were made Doctors of Medicine, seven Bachelors of Arts, and one Master of Science. 'Tis strange, yet true, that a mistress may now become a Master, and a maid a Bachelor.

A SUGGESTION.

Belleville will soon be made a city. The limits have been extended until the area incorporated is of metropolitan size. For situation, general appearance and business enterprise our beautiful town has more than a Provincial reputation. Strangers who visit us, even for a transient call, have words of praise and commendation to offer about what they see and hear. Front Street, as a commercial centre, is not surpassed by any other in Canada, all things considered. The private sections, more especially on Taylor's Hill, are picturesque and comfortable. Improvements now in progress or contemplated will materially add to the attractions already possessed. But still there is one deficiency to which reference has been frequently made, and which should receive that attention from our "City Fathers" its importance demands. We have no park—great or small, or any place whatever that can be made available for recreation and pleasure during the summer months. Massassaga Point is a favorite and delightful resort, but everybody cannot go there when they wish. What we want is some central location where cooling shades, bright flowers and pleasant walks invite repose and administer to the æsthetic faculties. Have we facilities for the creation of such a place of resort? The "Hospital Lot" is admirably located, and could with little expense be made into a park. It is too small, we admit, to answer all that is required, but it is large enough for a summer garden for the public delectation. Women and children would be thankful for the privilege of having such a place to spend their leisure hours in, and its presence would greatly add to the beauty of that part of the town. Would it not be a wise move to secure the lot and make the necessary improvements?

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Thursday' April 5th.

After routine and formal business, the House went into Committee on certain resolutions of the Minister of Marine to amend the Pilotage Act of 1875. The resolutions were passed after some discussion, and a bill framed upon them was introduced and read the first time.

Mr. Blake's Bill to amend the law with reference to appeals from convictions made by Justices of the peace having been amended in Committee so as to provide that in the Province of Quebec such appeals should be to the Court of Queen's Bench, Crown Side, instead of the Sessions, was read the third time and passed.

After considerable discussion that the whole financial policy of the Government should not be debated on *de novo* on each separate resolution.

Mr. Cartwright moved the concurrence of the House in the resolution respecting the duty on tea.

Sir John Macdonald moved an amendment declaring that a duty should be substituted for the one proposed, which would add an equal amount to the revenue and at the same time aid the various industries of the country.

Dr. Tupper also entered into an elaborate explanation of the essential principle of the tea duty, and endeavored to make a plea for the poor.

Mr. Cartwright, in a short and vigorous speech showed that the Opposition, when in power, had themselves had a tax of seven cents specific, and 15 per cent *ad valorem* on every pound of tea coming into the country for no less than five years, and that the English Government had at the present moment a tax of 12 cents per pound on tea. The people of this country generally purchase a high quality of tea, so that the small specific duty which he proposed would be distributed as evenly as possible, and would not press unduly upon the poorer classes. He exposed the so-called national policy, and said that its advocates, after condemning a small tax upon tea as a burden on the poor, proposed to tax the poor man's bread, his coal, and indeed almost every necessity of his life. He should be happy to readjust the tariff, as it may be called, if he had the slightest expectation that he could thereby relieve the present depression, but he certainly would not impose a heavy tax upon the many for the benefit of the few. With regard to the proposal to tax whiskey, that tax was already so high that it could not be collectable if it were increased.

Several other members spoke on the question and the House divided on Sir John's amendment, which was lost. Yeas, 67; Nays, 119.

Mr. Wallace advocated a duty on iron as less oppressive than on tea, and named other articles which he contended might be taxed in preference to tea. He concluded by moving an amendment to the effect that an *ad valorem* duty instead of a special one should be imposed.

The amendment was lost—Yeas, 65 ; Nays, 114.

The original resolution was then concurred in.

The next two resolutions were passed discussion.

On the sixth resolution,

Mr. Cartwright explained that it was the intention of the Government, by Order in Council, under the authority which they possessed, to remit the duty on tubing which it was proved actually entered into the construction of engines and other machinery.

After several members had expressed their pleasure ot the announcement of the Minister of Finance the resolution was concurred in.

The remaining resolutions were concurred in without debate. A Bill founded on the resolutions was read the fisst time, and the House adjourned at 2:15 a. m.

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Friday, April 6.

THE MARKET BY-LAW.

The Court resumed at three p. m,

John Doran, Alfred Ellis, Mrs. McCormack, R. N. Bennett and Charles Green, were charged with selling fresh meat in less quatities than by the quarter, and that they did not occupy a shop or stall in accordance with the by-law. Evidence was heard, after which the cases were laid over till Wednesday.

Saturday, April 7.

LARCENY.

Edward Wright charged with larceny was further remanded till Wednesday.

AUCTIONEERS' LICENSES.

Michael Nulty paid costs and took out a license, and the case against Andrew Keys was laid over till Wednesday.

VAGRANCY.

Mary Smith was sent to jail for one month.

GRIP'S LATEST.

Grip has apparently adopted the suggestion of the London *Advertiser*, and prints a very amusing cartoon, representing the Northern Railway which Miss Canada has impounded, and which Sir John and his friends are representing as milking and having milked almost dry. There is John Beverly Robinson with his jug of Algoma cream and sundries, distinguished by his record of pedigree and of a fight with the beasts of Ephesis Angus Morrison is down on all-fours feasting on his share; Patteson, of the *Mail*—the prospectus of which frowned down subsidies of all kinds—is making off with his contribution in a pail: Senator Macpherson and Sir John, who have each had a pull, are most surprised of all at the entrance of Mr. Mackenzie, in the garb of a policeman whose dark lantern, (representing the Committee) is shedding light upon the scene. Most ludicrous of all sits Col Cumberland, the cow's elder in his hand, while he opens his mouth and squirts the lacteal fluid into his mouth. The *Telegram's* editorial is planed up: "Every dollar taken from the funds of the N. R. was a dollar taken from the public funds, the Company at that time being a debtor to the Government to the amount of several hundred thousand pounds."

EPITAPH ON A STEAM-ENGINE.

Collisions four or five she bore,
The signals were in vain ;
Grown old and rusted her boiler busted,
And smashed the excursion train.
Her end was pieces !

OUR FIRST SIDE.

On the first side of to-day's issue will be found a report of a sermon delivered in the Brooklyn Tabernacle by the Rev. T. Dewitt Talmage on "Insurance." It is rich in thought and is one of the finest efforts yet delivered by this talented divine. Read it.

THE WORKINGMEN AND THE GOVERNMENT.

The Hamilton *Times'* Ottawa correspondent gives the following account of Mr. Mackenzie's meeting with the workingmen of Ottawa yesterday morning, as previously arranged:—

"Half-past 10 this forenoon having been named by the Premier as a convenient time for him to see workingmen, about the same number as yesterday assembled in front of the western block. The Mayor, local Senators, and city members were present. Not more than two hundred persons of the laboring classes were present, but a considerable number of Senators, M.P's. and citizens swelled the crowd. Mr. Mackenzie came out and addressed the men from the steps, and spoke for about half an hour. The chief points made were that, while he sympathized with all who were in distress, it must be borne in mind that Canada was not alone in feeling the depression which was general throughout nearly all the world; that it was doubtful indeed if any country was passing through this great crisis with less hardship than was Canada, and no city possibly than this one ; that this fact might afford them poor consolation, but it was nevertheless a fact which should be kept constantly in view that his Government possessed no control over the people's money except what was given them by Parliament, and could not undertake anything without the sanction that the Constitution provided for ; the proper discharge of all the functions of the Government ; giving the Federal Government the direction of affairs generally, and to the Local Legislatures and Government, and to the Municipalities the control of matters of a purely local character, such, as the relief of the poor and the promotion of local improvements. He trusted and believed that the distress now felt was merely temporary, and that in Canada the worst would soon be past. The very best thing that could be done would be to make permanent homes for themselves and families on the public domain, where free grants of land could be had. His efforts had been directed to afford facilities to the settlement of wild lands by opening up the means of communication with the North-west where the best lands were situated, and two years ago orders had been sent to Europe to discourage emigration to Canada unless of persons who would settle or devote themselves to the development of the public domain. He knew from experience that it required hard labor and much patience to make a home in the woods; but he also knew that the best successes ever attained were in that direction for the relief of distress. The Government had pushed forward the works on the Canal at Lachine, on the Welland Canal and on the Railroad in the Northwest; but beyond that he could do nothing, except to join others in affording such assistance as pressing cases of distress might call for. This he would do freely, and he sincerely hoped the time would soon come when there would be work for all. His Worship, Mayor Waller, also addressed the people, assuring them that the Corporation would at once give employment to all that possibly could be found room for in cleaning the streets, and next week the City Board of Works would commence such operations as would give hmployment to a good number. Mr. Currier and others also spoke, and the crowd peaceably dispersed. The Premier handed the Mayor a cheque for the subscription. Order prevailed throughout and the speeches were well received."

—Clear water is visible for several miles outside Buffalo harbor.

—Mr. Justice Patterson gave judgment yesterday in London in the case of Graham v the Great Western Railway Company for damages sustained in the accident at Woodstock in August last. His Lordship found the defendants liable, and awarded the plaintiff $750.

—The by-law granting a loan of $10,000 to the Welland Vale Manufacturing Company for a term of years was carried yesterday by 300 majority. The company propose rebuilding on the old site on a much larger and more improved style than formerly.

Condensed Telegrams:

MORNING DESPATCHES.

Mrs. Hull, the wife of a banker of St. Louis recently adopted an infant and lately represented to her husband that it was her own in order to obtain $5,000, which her husband's father had offered them on the birth of a child. The husband discovered the deception and brought a suit for divorce. Mrs. Hull begged piteously in court that she might retain the child which another woman claimed.

The recent demonstration to Hampton in Columbia, S. C., has gained for him hosts of friends.

Packard is determined that the President must make a formal recognition of either Governor of Louisiana.

There will be a Democratic majority in the next House of Congress of 13.

Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Greenville, N. Y., on Thursday last gave birth to four infants, three of whom are living.

The police records of New York and Brooklyn show 105 mysterious disappearances since the 1st of January.

The settlement of the Vanderbilt estate has not yet been made.

It is reported that Prince Gortschakoff's ultimatum to the Porte is, that unless the Protocol is accepted by the 13th of April, war will be declared.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

The body of Miss Nettie Russman has been found in the Ohio River at Cincinatti. Foul play is suspected and her lover has been arrested.

Schaefer beat Bessunger at billiards in Ithaca last night.

Fires which destroyed $35,000 worth of property, are reported this afternoon.

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If the plan we propose meets with the general approval and support we anticipate, it will certainly be a benefit to ourselves, as it will undoubtedly prove an advantage to our customers.

To sell Cheaply one must buy Cheaply. With this in view we have made arrangements to pay prompt Cash ourselves for all our goods bought in Britain, thereby securing the advantage of discounts on purchases so made. And further, to save the great expense of going over to England every season, our purchases will henceforth be made by a resident buyer, one who is thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the Canadian trade, and who knows where to buy the various classes of goods the best and cheapest.

We have also secured the advantages afforded by large quantities being bought at one time. Though we are the largest importers of Dry Goods in this section of the Province, as is shown by the returns at the Custom House here, still the quantities required are not sufficient alone to give us access to the best markets. But now the person who buys for us is buying at the same time goods of a similar kind for other houses like ours throughout Canada and the United States, amounting in the aggregate to the value of from twenty to thirty times the amount of our order. By this means we get the benefit of large purchases, as well as obtain access to markets where we should be excluded if we merely had the buying of the comparatively small quantity we alone might need. And we may here mention what may not be generally known, that the terms of most of the larger manufacturers in England and Scotland are now Strictly Cash ; and further, they are under obligations to the Middlemen, or Wholesale Dealers, not to sell any person under a certain quantity, generally a much larger quantity than any one retail house can handle. So, were we buying our own stock separately, even were it many times larger than it is, we should be compelled to purchase from others than first hands.

Our new stock of goods bought by us under the above arrangement is now forward, and will be found very complete, and we shall endeavour to maintain the assortment throughout the season, ordering goods as they are required. We would here invite all who may be needing articles for personal or household use to view the goods and see the prices.

We will continue to make it a rule, as we have hitherto done, that all customers on entering our premises shall be left entirely free to exercise their choice, and to buy or not, as they may see fit.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO.

Belleville, 2nd April, 1877.

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,

(de PARIS) the Experienced

Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

And Practical Wig Maker

At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.

PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.

☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.

Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,

HARDWARE STOCK

FOR SALE BY TENDER,

TENDERS for the assets en bloc of the estate of

JOHN LEWIS & CO.,

of Belleville, will be received by the undersigned until the 13th APRIL, 1877, the security offered to be named in the Tenders. The Assets consist of

Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
Book Debts " " "	5,250
Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

The stock, inventory, and list of debts can be seen, and all information obtained from Mr. James Hambly, on the premises, who is instructed to afford every facility to intending purchasers.

THOMAS DARLING,
Assignee.

182 St. James Street, Montreal,
29th March, 1877. td

FOR SALE.

100 Brls. Choice Apples.

AT

Ashley's Cheese Warehouse

G. T. R. STATION,

— AT —

$2 to $2.25 PER BBL.,

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY. —

Also a lot of CULLS, at 50c to $1 per Rbl.

Orders left at C. F. Smith's Tin Shop, or Henry Canniff's Grocery, opposite Upper Bridge, will receive prompt attention.

Belleville, April 2nd, 1877. 7i

INSPECT OUR STOCK.

We have received the greater portion of our SPRING STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,

And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.

Goods will be shown with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, April 5th, 1877.

N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD,

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORANGES AND LEMONS TO-DAY

MILLINERY: MISS BELLAIR. 342. DRESS MAKING: MRS. BELLAIR.

COSTELLO'S

Fashionable Millinery!

And Dress-Making

ESTABLISHMENT.

TO THE LADIES:

I beg to intimate the arrival and arrangement of a most complete assortment of Fashionable Millinery direct from the London, Paris, and New York Markets. I will show

On Thursday Next, April 5th,

ALL THE LEADING STYLES IN

Pattern Trimmed HATS & BONNETS,
French and English FLOWERS,
Real and Imitation LACES,
Ribbons, Plumes, and Fancy Ornaments,
together with a general assortment of the most Fashionable DRESS GOODS.

A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

R. COSTELLO.

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

Insolvent Act of 1869 and 1875.

IN the Matter of ROBERT WADSWORTH of the Town of Belleville,
An Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power vested in me as Assignee of the estate of the above-named Insolvent, I will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at my office, Number One, Temple Chambers, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on MONDAY the THIRTIETH day of APRIL, A.D. 1877, at Twelve O'Clock, noon, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named Insolvent, and of myself as Assignee of his estate of, in and to the lands and premises hereinafter described; that is to say, all and singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Three on the West side of Octavia Street, in the said Town of Belleville, according to a plan of part of Lot Two in the First Concession of the Township of Thurlow, made for the late Edmund Murney by J. J. Haslett, P.L.S., and registered in the Registry Office for the County of Hastings on the sixth day of August, A.D. 1851. There is a large two storey Brick House on the premises.

The said property is subject to three Mortgages for Five Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, Four Hundred Dollars, and Four Hundred Dollars respectively, and interest.

TERMS CASH.

For further particulars apply to

J. PARKER THOMAS,
Assignee.

Dated at Belleville the 15th February, A. D. 1877. 1Uievsat

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON.

Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. E. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m.

BELLEVILLE CHURCH DIRECTORY

EPISCOPALIAN.

CONGREGATION OF ST. THOMAS' CHURCH.

Morning service in Town Hall at 11 a.m. Evening Service in Town Hall, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S.

Afternoon Service on Sundays at 4½ p. m. Evening Service on Tuesday at 7½ p. m.
Rev. J. W. BURKE, B. A., Rector.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST BELLEVILLE.

Service—Sunday 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Service Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. Communion, 3rd Sunday in the month.
Rev. R. S. FORNERI, B. A., Incumbent.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, STATION ROAD.

Service, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Holy Communion, first Sunday in the month. Service every Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free.
Rev. J. R. JONES, Incumbent.

ROMAN CATHOLIC (ST. MICHAEL'S).

CHURCH STREET.

Morning Mass at 7:30 a. m.; High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. JAMES FARRELLY, V. G.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.

BRIDGE STREET CHURCH.

Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Lecture, Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 7:30. Strangers met at the door and escorted to seats.

WEST BELLEVILLE.

Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Evening 7 p. m. Seats free.

KINGSTON ROAD CHURCH.

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Afternoon Service, 3 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. E. B. HARPER, Rev. S. P. ROSS, Ministers.

BLECKER STREET CHURCH.

Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Seats free
REV. T. H. CULLEN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL METHODIST.

CORNER OF CHURCH AND GREAT ST. JAMES STS.

Divine Service—Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m.

UNIVERSITY CHURCH, NEAR ALBERT COLLEGE.

Divine Service—Sabbath at 7:00 p. m, and Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
REV. B. LANE, B. A., Pastor.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.

Morning Service at 11 a. m.; Evening Service at 7. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 Weekly Prayer Meeting, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
REV. JOHN BURTON, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN (ST. ANDREWS).

CHURCH STREET.

Services—Sunday, 11 a. m, and 7 p.m. Sabbath School, 3 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7 p. m.

Mission Sabbath School, at Northcott's School House, at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. W. McLEAN, M. A., Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Hotel Street.

Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2½ p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ p. m.
Rev. A. O. COSSAR, Pastor.

BIBLE CHRISTIAN.

Services—Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6½ p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. in the new Bible Christian Church, Front Street, West.
Rev. J. Wickett, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Coleman Street, West Belleville.

Morning service at 11 o'clock; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday School, at 3 p. m.
Rev. Alex. Turnbull, Pastor.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ... 6.50 a m
No. Express,.. .. ..6:10 p m
Mixed .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,.. .. ..12.22 a m
Mixed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. ..2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 7.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

NOTICE.—The Court for the Revision of the Voters' Lists will be held in the Court House on Tuesday next.

THE CELLS—Eight tramps were provided with accommodations at the police station last night.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.—A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education takes place on Tuesday evening next in the Council Chamber.

ON THE MOVE.—Machine men and lightning rod agents are again on the move, and the unwary agriculturalist may expect to receive a visit from them.

PLEASURE STEAMER—We are informed that the steamer Flight will run daily between Big Island and Belleville during the season, calling at Massassaga Point each way.

COMMITTED.—Ebenezer Pine has been committed for trial at Napanee for being too much married. He was admitted to bail on Thursday, himself in $1,000 and two sureties of $500 each.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, noted for its profuse and elaborate decorations and elegant table, now offers the same accommodations at a reduction from $4 00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

FARMER'S ADVOCATE.—The April number of this most excellent agricultural publication has been received. It is a representative Canadian enterprize and deserving of extensive patronage from the farmers.

OUR RULE.—"One who was in Court" should bear in mind that any communication which is sent for insertion in this paper, must be accompanied by the name of the writer. No departure will be made from this rule.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreable treatment at the Colonnade Hotel.

A CERTAINTY.—There will be good cause for rejoicing when teamsters come to realize that street crossings are not the proper places to stop their horses. Then will pedestrians have less trouble in getting from one side of the street to the other.

NAVIGATION.—Both Reaches have been open for some days, and crafts are daily expected to enter Mill Point harbor. Some days may elapse before the expectations of the people of that village will be realized.

THE B. & N. H. R.—Nearly three hundred men are now employed along the line of this road, which is expected to be in running order on or before Dominion Day.

THE FERRY.—The ferry met with an accident this morning by the breaking of a chain. After a detention of a couple of hours she was able to resume her trips.

EARLY PLOUGHING.—Mr. Finkle, who resides near the White Church on the Front of Sidney, began his spring ploughing today. This is somewhat early for this work.

WARNING.—In order to prevent sickness and long doctor's bills in the near future, the dirt which has accumulated during the winter should be cleaned from all door yards. A few hours can be profitably spent in such work.

Bargains all next week at Walsh's Commercial House, in Dry Goods and Clothing.

EXTENDING THEIR BUSINESS.—W. R McRae & Co., have leased premises in Brockville, and are going to open a wholesale and retail liquor and provision store in that place.

CIRCUSES.—Several circuses have already opened the tenting season, and soon the agent with the big watch chain and diamond pin will make his appearance. Canada may expect to receive visits from Barnum and Forepaugh.

TRIPLETS.—The *Express* says that there are two or three cases of the advent of triplets in Napanee, but the characteristic bashfulness of the people interested, prevents the application for the Queen's bounty. Just so.

AN EAGLE KILLED.—A man named Albert Sanford, whilst bringing a load of hides from Doyle's corners to Madoc on Thursday last, killed a bald headed eagle which alighted on his load. The bird, which was a very large one, measured nearly seven feet from tip to tip of wings. It is now in the hands of the taxidermist.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—A daughter of Mr. Jacob Dulmage, of the Occidental Hotel, Brighton, met with a very serious accident one day recently. She had an open knife in her hand, and whilst going up stairs she tripped and fell; the knife running into her neck and cutting a very deep gash. Her wound was immediately attended to by a medical man, and she is now considered out of danger.

Now going on Sale of Bankrupt stock Dry Goods and Clothing at Walsh's Commercial House.

FAVORABLE REPORTS.—Fall grain has suffered from the frost but slightly, if we are to believe the reports which reach us, and although the breadth of land sown is not very great, the prospects for this class of grain are good. There was also a large area of land prepared last fall for spring sowing, which will soon begin.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—In the list of performers who are to appear at the Opera House on Monday evening next, we observe the names of the Misses Martha Oliver Effie Robinson, Marian Robinson, Fanny Tyson and Messrs. Allan Halford, Harry Lindley and others. The opening attraction will be "Dora" and will be followed Lindley's political sketches and the farce of "Spectral Illusions."

MAKING A HOME.—The Winnipeg *Free Press* announces the arrival of two young men from Colborne, Ontario, who drove with their own teams to Toronto, thence taking the rail to Moorhead and from there driving to Winnipeg since the 12th inst. Within twenty-four hours after their arrival, they had rented a farm on Stinking River, and started to take possession, with the intention of selecting land at leisure during the season. It is safe to say they mean business and will be successful.

NAPANEE ITEMS.—Two farms, comprising 550 acres, were sold at auction on Monday for $17,550.—The gas which is supplied to the town is very unsatisfactory, the petroleum from which it is made being of an inferior quality.—A saccharine coalition has been formed among the bachelors of the Episcopal and Canada Methodist Churches of the town, for the purpose of giving the citizens a sugar feed on Monday next.—An effort is now being made to revive the game of cricket, and a meeting has been called for Monday evening for the purpose of forming a club.

THE PRIZE FIGHT.—The prize fight which was set down to take place on Thursday at Zwick's Island didn't come off. Preparations had been made for the battle as the ground had been staked and roped, in order to let the principals have a good show for knocking one another around. It is highly probable that the temper of the warriors has cooled and if that is the case further difficulties need not be apprehended.

ROWDYISM.—Complaints are often reaching us concerning the noise and nuisance caused on some of our streets by a number of big boys who congregate together and lorf around a corner making hideous noises and using profane and obscene language, not only to the annoyance of the inhabitants of the neighborhood, but also insulting passers-by. The last complaint is from the corner of Pinnacle and Wharf streets If the Magistrate would make an example of some of the loafers who assemble in the locality spoken of, he would confer a favor on the residents of that section of the town, which they would greatly appreciate.

THE CANADIAN MONTHLY—The April number of this valuable and interesting periodical is to hand and is fully equal if not superior to any of its predecessors. The present number contains the opening chapters of a new and fascinating serial Novel, entitled 'Green Pastures and Piccadilly,' by William Black, author of 'A Princess of Thule,' 'Daughter of Heth,' 'Strange adventures of a Phaeton,' 'Madcap Violet,' etc., etc. The work is copyrighted in Canada, and is published by arrangement with the author and with Messrs. Harper Bros., his American publishers. The concluding paper by Miss Murra on 'Swift and the Women who Loved him,' is unavoidably postponed, but it will appear in the May number; when the publication of "The Annals of Canada" will be resumed. A number of other choice productions appear which will well repay perusal.

YACHTING.—The yacht which is now being built by Cuthbert at Cobourg has been purchased by a Belleville gentleman. Those who have seen the boat speak very highly of her. Mr. Stoneburgh expects to have the "Resolute" finished next week, and after she is rigged a trial of speed will take place between her and the "Peerless."

RATES REDUCED.—The Montreal Telegraph Company will be able, owing to reductions made in the tariff by the Western Union Company, to send messages on and after Monday next to the principal places in the United States east of the Mississippi for fifty cents.

SHORTS.—The attendance at the market, all things considered, was very fair.—Police business is very dull.—The ferry steamer did a fair business to-day.—Passenger traffic on the G.T.R. is gradually picking up.—There is considerable ice in the bay above Zwick's Island, and some days will elapse before it will disappear.—The water in the harbor is considerably lower than it was this time last year.—Promenaders were out in full force to-day.—Hotel sdid a very good business to-day, as a large number of strangers were in town.

THE CANADIAN CHRISTIAN MONTHLY.—Toronto: C Blackett Robinson. Terms: One Dollar per annum—free of Postage—in advance. This periodical is edited by the Rev. James Cameron, Chatsworth. It is evangelical and unsectarian in character, its motto being, "In things essential, Unity! in things indifferent, Liberty; and in all things, Charity." Both its editorials and selections are always replete with weighty thought, bearing upon the most important religious, moral, and social questions of the day. In its tone it is very decided, without the least indication of bigotry. It minces matters; never gives forth an uncertain sound, and never enters into any compromise with that which is evil, while at the same time it is brimfull of the love of Christ to sinners. Every number contains a department for the children, and one or two illustrations. Sample copy mailed on receipt of ten cents.

MALE R. C. SEPARATE SCHOOL.—Yesterday forenoon shortly after 10 a. m. His Lordship Bishop O'Brien, accompanied by the Very Rev. V. G. Farrelly and other clergymen, paid a visit to the school mentioned above. His Lordship examined a class in reading, grammar and arithmetic, and expressed himself well satisfied with the intelligent answers given by the pupils. He complimented the boys on their intelligent appearance and orderly behavior, advised them to be dilligent and obedient at home, and to employ their leisure time there in preparing their lessons for school, and trusted that when he should again visit the school he would find that the pupils would have made satisfactory progress. The Bishop then announced that he would give the boys a holiday on Monday next, a kindness on the part of his Lordship which they fully appreciated. The visit, which lasted about an hour and a half, will be remembered by pupils and teachers with feelings of unimpaired gratification.

A RARE FIND.—A boy named Anderson, whilst at work on Tuesday last in Caton's sugar bush in the 2nd Con. of Hungerford, found hanging on the limbs of a hemlock tree, forty feet from the ground, a bear trap, and all its paraphernalia—clog, anchor, chain &c. The trap and its belongings must have weighed thirty-five or forty bounds, and is supposed to have been carried to the place where it was found by some unfortunate bruin, who gnawed of the imprisoned foot, and thus relieved himself from his engine of captivity, and hanging his trap on a hemlock. About thirty or forty years ago an old trapper named Weightman, who was found dead in Kaladar or Anglesea, reclining against the tree that supported his gun, plied his calling through that section of country, and it must have been one of his traps which was hung up high and dry in the hemlock tree.

Sale of Bankrupt stock at Walsh's Commercial House, Commenced to day and will be continued till all is disposed of. Call early and secure some of the Bargains.

KINGSTON ITEMS.—Rev. Mr. Douglass and the Rev. Mr. McCuaig will preach sermons to-morrow.—Prof. Mackerras and Dr. Fenwick will shortly deliver lectures in that city.—School matters run so smoothly in Kingston that there is scarcely any necessity for the holding of a meeting of the School Board.—Two men were arrested on Thursday evening in front of Hartnett's hotel whilst acting in a disorderly manner.—Sir John and Lady Macdonald will be present at the Queen's College Conversazione on the 25th inst.—The literary and musical entertainment of the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society on Thursday evening was a success.—The License Inspector accompanied by several policemen visited a number of shebeens on Thursday evening, and found suspiciously large quantities of liquor in three of them.—The "Pierrepont" sustained some injury to her machinery in her effort to start on Thursday and therefore the run to the Cape was abandoned till to-day.—The steamers of the Royal Mail Line will commence running as soon as the canals are opened. The boats are now being put in readiness for the season's work.—The opening of navigation is anixously awaited as it is expected then that business will revive.

ADVICE.—Young gentlemen who go to parties and engage in games such as "picking cherries," should leave their chews of tobacco on the front stoop because there are some women of the present day, that don't like to be kissed by men whose mouths are filled with tobacco. This is an evidence, we know, of the shocking degeneracy of the time and the wrong education our women receive. But it is'nt our fault. We don't educate the women. We give young men the advice in consequence of an incident which occurred at a party in Foster Ward. The game was "post office," and a young gentleman having been first called into the other room, he in turn called the young lady he wanted to kiss, and she in turn called another young man. When she returned to the room she remarked, "Ugh, the nasty brute!" and she wiped about a quarter of an ounce of tobacco from her under lip. None of the other girls would go out to relieve the poor fellow and he got mad and said he'd leave, and put on his over coat. He could'nt understand why the young lady became angry. "The tobacco," he remarked, "was the best fine-cut, and I hadn't been chewing it long." We believe he now refuses to go into female society.

DISAPPOINTED.

He was dressed up regardless, and looked slick and fine,
As he stood on a step by her door,
His clothing was neat and he looked real sweet,
Nevertheless he felt heart-sick and sore.

He had pulled twice at the bell, but no answer was made,
And his mind was sadly distressed,
He was troubled and sad and felt quite bad,
But still fancied his dear one in jest.

He thought she was in, and just for a lark
Kept him waiting out doors in the cold,
She's playing a joke upon me, a poor bloke,
And getting real prankish and bold.

Relief came at last; the old lady appeared,
And she said in a voice clear and mellow,
Your Jane's not here, she's gone out my dear,
For a walk with another fellow.
And still he isn't happy.

OUR PUZZLES.

☞All correspondence relating to this department must be addressed "Puzzle Editor," Box 336, Belleville. The author's name must accompany all contributions.

HISTORICAL ACROSTIC.

1. Where did a Saxon King find refuge from the Danes?
2. What unworthy favorite of an English King was put to death by the Barons?
3. Of what country did a son of an English King become Viceroy when only a boy?
4. What French General was shot as a traitor for aiding Napoleon I?
5. What remarkable man fought for the Parliament at the battle of Edge Hill?
6. What man, who was half brother of a King of England, was made Regent during the King's absence in another country?
7. What Society disturbed Ireland during the latter years of the eighteenth century?
8. What was the great Political event of the reign of George IV?
9. What great sea fight took place with England and France in the reign of George III?

NOTE.—The above is from the pen of J. J. PEAKE, a semi-mute, belonging to Prof. Coleman's class at the Deaf and Dumb Institute. It certainly equals anything of the kind that we have yet received from those who possess the senses of hearing and speech, and reflects great credit on his tutor; showing as it does that pupils attending the Institute are thoroughly instructed in all the English branches.—ED.

ARITHMETICAL ENIGMA.

A wealthy farmer three sons had,
Who, with him tilled the ground,
To each he gave a splendid farm,
Triangular, square and round,
At forty dollars an acre just,
Each farm its value had,
Ten dollars that encompassed each,
For each exactly paid.
Now, if 'cross a dollar be an inch,
And just one half inch fair,
Which was the greatest portion,
The equilateral, round or square?
(And the number of acres in each?
G. M.

$\text{B}\overset{\text{O}}{\text{E}}\text{D}$,

What sentence, containing nine words, is given above?

NOTE.—Owing to the hurry in making up this department in our last issue the wording of the above puzzle was incomplete. The above is the correct form.—Ed.

ANSWERS TO PUZZLES OF MARCH 3RD.

Diamond puzzle.—

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Anagrams.—1st LIVINGSTONE; 2nd. SIR JOHN FRANKLIN; 3rd, CHARLES DICKENS.

Transposition.—Spool, pool, loop, loo, lo! L.

Arithemetical Question.—10,000 was the original number of inhabitants.

Querie.—See Judges 14 chap. 14 and 18 verses.

Hidden Animals.—1, Cat; 2, Cow; 3 Bear; 4, Horse; 5, Seal; 6, Dog; 7, Lion; 8, Otter; 9, Muskrat; 10, Colt

Double Acrostic.—MACDONALD-MACKENZIE, thus: 1, MiriaM; 2, AttilA: 3, CedriC; 4, DamasK; 5, OwE; 6, NelsoN; 7, Abdul AzZ; 8, LodI; 9, DantE.

CHAT WITH CONTRIBUTORS.

G. M.—Thanks for enclosure. Will be pleased to hear from you again.

JACK (Stirling).—Enigma accepted and will appear next week. Solutions all correct, except that of the last conundrum.

BERTIE.—Sorry to hear that "Hidden Animals" proved too hard for you. Carefully examine the following sentence, as the answer is given in italics:—"The citizens of Paler*mo use* candles instead of coal oil." Simple, isn't it?

PADDY MALONE.—You are very backward about coming forward with your puzzles. Why is it thusly.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The announcement referred to in our last will be made next week.

—Another new tobacco factory will soon be in operation in Brantford. This will make four cigar factories in that locality.

—There is to be a fine display of plants and flowers shown on sale in Brantford on the 20th instant.

—A few days ago James Bell, of Goderich, while oiling his engine at Stratford put his hand on the rail to enable him to reach underneath the engine, and the latter moving forward, three of his fingers were cut off.

FARMERS, MECHANICS,

and all people who appreciate the value of keeping a memorandum of business transactions, daily events, and items of interest or importance, for future reference, should call on their druggist and get Dr. Pierce's Memorandum book free. The Doctor's Grand Invalids' Hotel at Buffalo, which costs, when finished, two hundred thousand dollars, will be opened early in June next, for the reception of patients afflicted with chronic diseases and deformities. It will afford the most perfect facilities for the cure of such affections, and its Faculty of physicians and surgeons will embrace graduates from both American and European Medical Schools who have become distinguished for their skill. The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, by Dr R. V. Pierce, a work of over nine hundred large pages, illustrated by two hundred and eighty two engravings, and elegantly bound in cloth and gilt, is sent to any address by the Author on receipt of one dollar and fifty cents. Almost one hundred thousand copies have already been sold.

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Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

IN BELLEVILLE, ON

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office,
TOWN HALL, BELLEVILLE,
March 29, 1877.
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WE invite all the Ladies to visit our store and Show Rooms To-morrow, and carefully inspect our Stock of New Goods and Note our Prices, feeling satisfied we can convince a thoroughly posted public that our facilities for procuring a First-Class Stock, direct from the producers, *on the Very Best Terms*, is unequalled in this part of the Province.

We make a Specialty of the FANCY DRY GOODS TRADE, and from experience find that it can only be done successfully by visiting the Old Country Markets each season and selecting the CHOICEST GOODS when they first appear, as were we to trust to a person who buys for a number of houses in different parts of so large a country as Canada, we would often get goods totally unsuited to our trade.

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FANCY EMPORIUM.

It was a week before she called again. She had taken rooms in a house where the people had not treated her quite properly. The proprietor had evidently tried to gain some undue influence over her by prying into her affairs.

"The truth is, my dear sir, I had better tell you who I am, and then you will advise me. I am the illegitimate daughter of the Earl of———. I have an estate in Scotland, and a considerable income, which is paid to me quarterly by the Earl's agents. I am extravagant. I have always been accustomed to buy everything I like, and this person has found that I owe some debts in the north, and he has been making enquiries about me and opening my letters. The accounts are only a few hundred pounds, and my agents will pay th m, but the quarter is not up; and don't you think it is a very shameful thing for this man to try and get money out of me (I have already lent him some) by spying upon me? What shall we do?

I gave her a letter of introduction to an eminent solicitor, who speedily put a stop to the machinations of the spy, and then Miss Bruce, who called upon me in a carriage and pair, attended by obsequious flunkeys, informed me that she had resolved upon taking a house and sending for her Scotch servants. A few days afterwards a house agent wrote to me, as is usual, inquiring if Miss Bruce was a responsible person. I replied, and said what I knew and thought, and referred the applicant to the lady's agents. Then I thought my wife might call upon her ladyship, and she did. Further, my wife took compassion upon her splendid loneliness and accompanied her to a theatre. The partner of my joys and sorrows was not favorably impressed with Miss Ogilvie Bruce's manners on this occasion, and while she was detailing to me her objections I received a letter from my Edinburgh correspondent. He had been misinformed as to the lady's antecedents. She was not the woman he had taken her for. There were strange rumors about her. She was wanted in many quarters. He begged to withdraw his recommendation of her. I saw my lady the next day, laid this letter before her and asked for an explanation.

"Come with me, my dear sir," she said; "come at once; my carriage is at the door. I will explain; but I beg of you to come to my house."

"I went, to discover the perfidy of man in all its hideous colors. She showed me a packet of love letters from the north; showed me an offer of marriage from my epistolary friend. They were couched in the warmest terms.

"I have refused him only this week, as you see, and he has sworn to be avenged, and this is his method. What do you think of a man who can be so base?"

I wrote to my Edinburgh friend. He sent me an advertisement in which the lady was "wanted" indeed. Other circumstances excited my suspicions. I wrote to the lady, requesting her to give me references to her agents and solicitors, and until I had received them begged her not to honor me by calling upon me any more. She replied in a dignified tone, saying that she would not trespass farther upon my courtesy; some day I should know her better, and when we met in society on that future day, I should, no doubt, apologize for suspecting her. Then came letters from tradespeople to whom she had mentioned me as a reference. I wrote and requested Miss Bruce not to use my name on pain of legal proceedings. She retorted scornfully and desisted, and presently came to live in my neighborhood with her maids and housekeepers and secretary, with her horses and carriages and dogs. I did myself the honour of cutting her dead and cautioning everybody against her. But she was so handsome, she looked so happy, she drove such splendid cattle, and she spoke Italian so fluently, that she won so many people—especially confiding traders—over to her that I began to think I had made a mistake, though I was contented to walk in the shadow of my neighbour's magnificence.

A fortnight ago the splendid bubble burst. Miss Bruce's housekeeper, a fashionably-dressed lady was brought before the magistrates for swindling, and her mistress has succeeded in eluding the police, and is now said to be on her way to America. In sheer despair some of the tradespeople came and half pulled down her house one day this week. She has been buying everything everywhere, and selling again, and otherwise "spoiling the Egyptians" of the West End of pictures, jewelry, silks, satins, cabinets, and goods of the costliest kind, and as fast as they were delivered at the front door, quickly, it seems, did many of them disappear at the back. The housekeeper has been twice remanded for the appearance of a witness, who says he has lent Miss Bruce $25,000, and who is to prove that the lady is not Miss Bruce at all, but Mrs. somebody. It is pretty certain that this lady's next exploits will be in New York; hence, this brief sketch of her performances in London.

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Labor in California.—The San Francisco *Mail* says the plain, unvarnished truth is that the labor market in California is stocked to overflowing, and that each fresh arriving train but adds to the miserable multitude that waits, suffers, starves, and finally fights its way back to the East again. Men of brains, culture, it says, good clerks, excellent accountants, business men of undeniable energy, and skilful mechanics, walk the streets of San Francisco in dumb despair. There are some parts of California that undoubtedly offer attractions to persons having sufficient money to establish themselves in farming, stock raising, or other business pursuits; but for the poor man seeking work the Atlantic States, even in these times of business depression, offer better chances for remunerative employment than California is likely to afford for years to come. This is an exceedingly poor outlook for those who desire to go West.

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A young lady of Bellevue, Ohio, bet a young man a kiss that Tilden would be elected—he to pay if Tilden won, she to pay if Hayes was elected. On the morning of the 8th he called and paid the bet; on the 9th he called and took it back. That evening she paid the bet. Next morning she took it back and he paid, then she paid and he paid; and so they have been kept busy by the contradictory dispatches ever since, as both declare their willingness and ability to hold out until Congress decided the question.

—Dr. Couse, who has for many years practiced his profession at Wardsville, has purchased the Lenord farm in Yarmouth, about two miles east of St. Thomas, which he intends making his future home.

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THE TOWN COUNCIL AND BLEECKER WARD.

To the Editor of the ONTARIO.

SIR,—Many and loud have been the complaints raised by the residents of Bleecker Ward against the action of the Town Council in not providing them with the necessary comforts and conveniences that people in nearly every other ward of the town enjoy. Many rash promises have been made by the present elect (of course all this was done prior to election day) about what *I* will do, and what *I* will see to if you only record your votes in my favor, and place your confidence in *me*; but when these candidates for civic honors are placed in the Council they forget all they said, and neglect to fulfil even what they promised! Nine months hence will see our "City Fathers" canvassing among the ratepayers with faces aglow and radiant with smiles, kissing the baby bedaubed with molasses candy, and once more soliciting "your vote and influence." Of course they will then forget that they refused to yield to the wishes of those who were instrumental in placing them in office, and they will perhaps make an effort to renew their old promises, viz, that they will make these improvements if the ratepayers will only try them once more. But, Bleecker Ward, be up and doing. *Bis dat qui cito dat.*

I purpose, Sir, with your kind permission, laying before your readers a brief review of the real facts of the case, knowing as I do that your columns are ever open for suggestions, which, if acted on, might be for the welfare and improvement of the town.

The Town Council recently appointed a Chief of Police, and I must congratulate them on the choice they made. The remainder of the force, is, to say the least of it, very inadequate. The number of members is not sufficient to afford us that amount of protection that it should do in a town of this size. We hear of rows and disturbances nightly up in this ward, yet no policeman is ever seen within half-a-mile of the Station. Gangs of roughs are congregated incessantly more especially on the corner of Emily Street and Station Road, yet no guardian of the peace seems to think it a matter worthy of his notice, whether the ratepayers in the station district are, or are not, put to perpetual annoyance and trouble. Ladies are insulted in passing and property is destroyed. Perhaps the members of our Council are not aware they can be held responsible for any damage done by those loungers. Near the corner of Emily Street and Station Road there is a row of disorderly houses, which is simply a disgrace to a civilized community. The respectable, but unfortunate inhabitants, living in that immediate vicinity are constantly being disturbed by the howls and heinous noises that rent the air at all hours. If we were receiving the benefits that we should from the police force such dens as these would be speedily routed, and their inmates receive the deserts they so justly merit.

The Chief has succeeded in keeping the street corners in the lower portion of the town clear of roughs, but what is the result? Why, we find he has driven them up here, where there is no protection, no law; and the consequence is this has become a favorite resort for these law-breakers.

The drainage given is really disgraceful. The water rushes over the sidewalk (where there is any) and finds its escape no one knows where.

The sidewalks are in a wretched condition—in many places there are none at all, and where there are any they are either broken or loosened. Scavangers, although they might be kept busy for a length of time in repairing the roads and cleaning the crossings, yet no such work is ever done.

The street lamps are few and far between, and are so unfrequently lit that we have to depend almost altogether on the light afforded us by the luminous bodies in the heavens.

Then a few words about the scenes that may be witnessed daily on the arrival of trains at the depot. We hear "'bus for the Queen's," "'bus for the Dafoe," "cab for any part of the town," "'bus for the Anglo-American," "street-car, only five cents," and then a distant voice prevails and squeaks out "'bus for any part of the town and baggage carried free." Thus amid the pulling round that the unfortunate traveller experiences, and the din and confusion that takes place, a stranger could hardly tell whether he has arrived at the notable "City of the Bay," or at the wilds of North America.

In conclusion, sir, I appeal to the good sense of your readers as to whether this existing state of things should be any longer endured. I trust by pointing these facts out to the town authorities that it will be sufficient to have them at once attended to. "*Verbum sat sapienti.*" We pay proportionate taxes with other ratepayers in the town; we ask for equal rights. We wish our property protected; why not send some officers of the force in this ward, enlarging the number if necessary. We wish for the other convenience about which I have spoken. I trust we may at once get them.

A personal visit to this ward would at once satisfy any right-thinking person that what I affirm is correct.

We extend a cordial welcome to the members of the Council to visit our ward and see for themselves.

Thanking you for your space,
I am,
yours, &c.,
FAIR PLAY AND BLEECKER WARD,

TWO STORIES.

[Boston Advertiser.]

A Massachusetts gentleman, just returned from over the Canadian border, tells us these stories: He was in the hotel general-accommodation room when two veterans of the (hotel) bar, laying schemes for a drink, began to tell stories to each other for his benefit. "These are awful hard times," said one. "I never saw such times before, except when I was in Ohio, an' then I was hard put to 't to git along. Nothin' to do. I had a yoke of steers, but they wan't earnin' nothin'. But I lived right on the road the Western emigrants went over every day. So I dug a hole in that road at the foot o' the hill, near my house, turned a livin' spring o' water into 't, and made a good mud hole. Well, when the emigrants came along, every day there would be one or more teams get stuck in my mud-hole, an' they would see my steers standin' out doin' nothin', an' they would send up an' get me to come an' help 'em out; an' I alwuz charged as much as $5 a lift. Well, I kep' that mud hole right up in good repair till I made $25,000 out on't an' then I sold it out for $3,000, an' moved up here." Story number two was the other Munchausen's companion-piece for the yoke of steers. "When I was a-choppin'—I could chop some, you know—an' folks used to ask me how much I could do in a day, 'Have you ever tried it?' says they. 'No, never,' says I; 'never but once, an' that wa'n't really a try.' You see, just to show 'em what I could do, I got up one winter mornin' afore light an' ground up my axe sharp, oh, just so sharp, an. went into the woods. An' I chopped like sixty till about three o'clock in the a'ternoon, when I thought it was as much as I could pile afore sundown, an' I went to pilin.' Well, when I had it all piled up it measured twenty-seven cord. An' then I knew somethin' was wrong, for I knew at the rate I had been choppin' it oughter be more. So I went back an' begun lookin' 'round to see what the trouble was. An' there, right at the fust tree I cut in the mornin' was my axe-head. You see, the thing was loose an' slipped off, an' I had been choppin' all day with the bare helve."

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 9.

HIS EXCELLENCY has so far recovered from his late accident as to give a state dinner this evening. To make up for lost time, there will be quite a round of festivities until prorogation.

IT is believed that every possible effort will be made to prorogue Parliament on the 19th inst. If the business of the session be not sufficiently advanced to do so, the close will be reached early in the following week.

So Mr. Langevin is to receive an ovation after all! The Opposition have been industriously circulating a subscription among the ranks of the faithful for a dinner, which is expected to come off this evening. The hero of Charlevoix will be the honored guest.

THE Anglin case came up in the House on Saturday, and, after able arguments on both sides, was adjourned until Tuesday. Mr. Blake's speech on the occasion was one of the ablest and most convincing ever heard in Parliament. We shall refer to the matter more fully to-morrow.

THE lawyers to whom Mr. Norris' case has been submitted are at sixes and sevens about it—some thinking that he can escape the penalty, while others are doubtful. A very high authority is credited with having, after full consideration, taken the latter view. The whole matter will come up to-day, on motion of Sir John Macdonald. Mr. Norris has not taken his seat for several days, and feels his position keenly.

SIR A. T. GALT'S attempt to correct the immature theories of a mere "student of political economy" has not been so successful as his friends anticipated. That his knowledge of fiscal matters is of a very high order, and his Parliamentary experience entitled to every respect, must be conceded. He has, however, found in Mr. Mills a controversalist worthy of his steel; and though marshalling many figures and references, has not succeeded in placing the latter in a very uncomfortable position. The epistolary efforts of both gentlemen are well worth attentive perusal, as they contain much that is interesting at the present time.

WE have several times called attention to the fact that the Conservative party was showing a decided inclination to talk "soft velvet" to the temperance people, with a view of catching their votes, or a portion of them, at the ensuing general election. It is now announced that the leaders of that party are busily engaged perfecting a scheme for the nomination of candidates next year. Strong efforts will be made to catch the temperance vote in the counties; while in the cities and towns, where a majority of the temperance electors are Reformers, a third candidate will be put up in order to take away from the Liberal party's regular nominee all the votes of those whose temperance principes are stronger than their party predilections. By this means the *bona fide* Tory candidate will stand a better chance of being elected. Our friends should take warning, and not be caught napping.

TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION.

The motion of the honorable member for Selkirk, in the House on Wednesday last, provoked a discussion that will doubtless have a beneficial effect upon the great question at issue. It was very evident that the object of those who supported the action taken was not so much to advance the interests of the temperance cause as to embarrass the Government by dividing the House on a motion that would appeal to the support of many friends of the Administration. The Convention held in Montreal a year ago was for the purpose of eliciting from pronounced temperance men, as well as from those who had the cause of temperance legislation at heart, an opinion as to the practicability of taking parliamentary action. To take the movement out of the position of pure temperance sentiment, and deal with it as a great practical issue, were the main objects sought by those who directed the meeting referred to. Subsequent actions by those who have espoused the cause on the floor of the House and elsewhere have been in perfect accord with the resolutions adopted at the Convention. Means have already been provided by Parliament whereby the public may express an opinion with regard to the liquor traffic, and fresh legislation cannot be reasonably expected until these means have been exhausted. The Dunkin Act offers every possible opportunity of testing the popular will, and the Premier only asks that its provisions be put in operation everywhere as proof that the country is prepared for a prohibitory liquor law. The majority in the House are prepared to go just as far as sensible men outside desire they should go. The attempt, therefore, to establish a charge of inconsistency, as directed against the Government and individual supporters, most signally failed.

BISMARCK.

The resignation of this veteran statesman and diplomatist, and the circumstances attending his interview with the Emperor, continue to excite a large share of newspaper comment. The question is, "What are his motives for peremptorily demanding a release from the responsibilities of his office as Chancellor, at the present time?" By some it is supposed that the Eastern question wears an ugly aspect, and the wily statesman does not relish the idea of being called upon to act as a final arbiter in case Russia declares war. Six months' furlough will, he thinks, carry him beyond the limit of danger, and place upon others the weight of responsibility, should an emergency arise. Others contend that it is owing to impaired health and the sense of an impending crisis that induces the old man to ask for a few months' rest, in order that he may be the better prepared for the coming conflict. There are influences at work which threaten to involve not only Prussia but all Europe in a struggle for liberty of thought and action. No man living can, by his own individual example, exert a more powerful influence on the side of Germany than Bismarck. So implicitly does the nation trust and honor him that even a temporary resignation of the control of the Government is viewed as being little less than a revolution. Accustomed to rule with an iron will, and subject not even to Imperial dictation, his retirement from the Chancellorship, though only for six months, fills the German Empire with painful anxiety. His final removal, by death or incapacity, would be a national calamity.

Editorial Notes.

COL. GILMOR, Clerk of the Legislature, was thrown from his horse on Saturday, while riding in Toronto, and severely shaken.

LADY HINCKS, has been spending some time with her relatives in Toronto. She returned to Montreal to-day.

GEO. ALLAN, the man who threw vitriol over his wife, was committed for trial on Saturday at the Toronto Police Court.

MR. GORDON BROWN, of the *Globe*, will start in June for a years residence in Europe.

THE Conservatives of Toronto are agitating a demonstration of the unemployed workmen for political purposes.

THE river is clear of ice at Sarnia, and the steamer Hiawatha has begun her regular trips.

THE Rykert party in St. Catharines are engaged in stealing and destroying court records in order to make away with Mr. Neelon's evidence.

THE residence of Rev. A. McCall, of Chatham, was burglarized last Friday night, and considerable money and jewellery taken.

MR. CUMBERLAND says buying a patent from Mr. Gordon Brown for $1,000 did not soften the hostility of the *Globe* to the Northern Railway Co.

THE Canada Screw Company's works at Dundas are to be greatly enlarged this year. The "non-protection" policy of the Government does not appear to have injured that industry.

A. D. GOODWIN, U. S. Vice-Consul at St. John, N. B., on the 27th of March telegraphed from Providence, R. I., that he would be home in a few days and had mailed to Gen. Warner, his superior in office, $5,000, since when neither Goodwin nor the money has been heard of.

BLEECKER WARD.

On the first page of to-days' issue will be found a communication from Bleecker Ward, which is intended for the consideration of the Town Council.

Without claiming any responsibility, as to the grievances for which redress is asked, we are willing that citizens should recognize the ONTARIO as a medium through which they may make known any reasonable complaint, so long as certain rules are respected. The existence of disorderly places, to which reference is made, should, and doubtless will, receive the necessary attention to their removal. We believe the present Council have adopted a practical course of procedure, and will give a willing audience to the requests and demands of those who have a perfect right to ask and expect such assistance as the nature of their relationship justifies.

SPRING CLEANING.

"The melancholy days have come,
The saddest of the year."

These lines were originally intended to apply to the wind and the rain, the frost and the slush of disagreeable November, but they may, without very seriously infringing upon the patent be made equally as applicable to the house cleaning season, which is near at hand. Already we begin to catch the ominous sound of rattling stove pipes, and removal of rheumatic furniture, while the resolute vision of the industrious housewife beams from amid the soap and water like a new representation of Triton. Outside there is a smell of burning rags, old leather and chips, and sometimes the women may be seen boiling soap in the back-yard and jawing each other across the fence. There is a general deportment of good behavior from the "lord and master" down to the menials; and even the cat seems to understand the situation, as she gathers her tail up carefully and hies away to the pig-styo where observations are taken. The *Whig* man who must have experienced something practical, talks about house-cleanin this way:—

"But this moving is nothing—it is exciting exercise, and one by custom rather enjoys the recreation of rolling the furniture in and out doors; but when it comes to house cleaning, and women flounce from room to room and take in yards of space with every sweep of the brush, and each chair leaves upon one's coat tails the testimony of his wife's devotion to whitewash, hope sinks deep in the heart—the system is so revolting that one almost wishes nature took a back movement, and people were permitted to live as in primitive days, the grass for a floor and the grand canopy of of heaven for the ceiling of a house unbounded in size and untouched by such modern inventions as the whitewash brush."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Friday, April 6th.

After the usual routine,

MR. CARTWRIGHT moved the third reading of the Bill to amend and consolidate the several Acts respecting Insurance.

MR. YOUNG moved the recommittal of the Bill for the purpose of amending by providing that the reserves to be held for foreign insurance companies should be solely for the benefit of Canadian policy-holders. He contended that such a proviso was absolutely essential for the protection of the Canadian policy-holder, and hoped the Government would accept the amendment.

MR. COLBY strongly approved of the principle of the amendment, though personally he should have been disposed to have gone still further in the direction of securing the Canadian policy-holder. He therefore, moved an amendment to the amendment providing that foreign companies doing business in the Dominion should show to the satisfaction of the Finance Minister that they were possessed of well-invested sufficient to re-insure all their outstanding policies everywhere, and besides to pay all liabilities and a surplus large enough to re-insure all outstanding policies in Canada.

MR. CARTWRIGHT said the Government had and could have no other object than to secure the Canadian policy-holder as far as possible, but they had to consider at the the same time the large number of contracts now existing between our citizens and foreign companies. The effect of passing the amendment of the member, for Waterloo would be to shut out every foreign mutual insurance company, and thus prevent our people from entering with their eyes open into a contract to share the profits and losses with such companies. He did not think that it would be sound legislation to interfere with the right of the people to make such contracts. With regard to the amendment to the amendment, he had added a clause to the Bill providing for the inspection of foreign companies, if it were thought necessary. He proposed, considering the great interests which had been already created in Canada by foreign insurance companies, that the operation of the Bill should be tried for a time, especially as during the present depression very little insurance business was done.

The debate was continued by Dr. Tupper, Mr. Mills, Mr. Gibbs (North Ontario) Mr. Blake, Mr. Dymond, Mr. Young, and others.

The House divided on the amendment to the amendment, which was lost. Yeas, 23; Nays, 157.

A division was then taken on the amendment, which was also lost, Yeas, 77; Nays, 104.

Mr. Cameron then moved an amendment to the effect that the deposits made by mutual companies should continue to be for the benefit of the policy-holders, but that the deposites of stock companies should be for the benefit of Canadian policy holders. The amendment was lost on a division, and the Bill was then read the third time.

Several other Bills were advanced a stage without discussion, and the House adjourned,

MILITIA ORDER.

Militia men who served in the War of 1812-15, and who have not as yet sent in their claims to participate in the regular appropriation made by Parliament for such services are notified that, to entitle them to participate therein, their claims and declarations should be received at the Department of Militia and Defence before the 10th of May next, 1877. Claims received on or after that date will not be admitted.

NOT A CHICKEN.

At precisely two o'clock by the bells the other morning a policeman who was walking up Beaubien street caught sight of a negro who was skulking along a fence, and he called upon him to stop.

"Ize in a big hurry to kotch de mawning train fur Toledo!" called back the African.

The officer threatened to shoot if he did not stop, and the skulker halted.

"Does you imagine I hez dun got a chicken, heah?" he asked, as the officer approached.

"Yes, sir—that's exactly what I imagine."

"And if I hezen't got a chicken I kin go right down to de depot, kin I?"

"I guess you can."

"Well, sah, den gaze on dis yere an' tell me if de name is chicken?" said the man, as he pulled a big goose around in front of him.

The officer went back on his word, and took the negro under arrest, and the victim was yesterday explaining:

"Whar's de use ob tryin' to get along wid dem p'licemen? De bes way is to drop de goose an make fur de woods."

—A great many people just now begin to wonder how it is that a coal stove will make such a pile of ashes in a month or two.

This and That.

—The corner stone of the Episcopal Church, in London South, is to be laid on the 24th of May with Masonic ceremonies.

—The By-law in favor of re-establishing the Welland Vale Works in St. Catharines has been carried.

Mr. Macdougall, M. P., has obtained the consent of the Postmaster-General to provide the letter-box system for St. Thomas.

—A post office, to be called Turnberry post office, will shortly be opened at Cargill's corner, Teeswater road, and a daily mail stage is to be put on the road between Teeswater and Wingham.

—A shock of earthquake lasting some fifty seconds, visited the Island of Jamaica on the 19th. Beyond damage in the shops by the throwing down of articles on the shelves and the scattering of printers' type, no serious damage was done.

—Several new box cars for the Erie Railway passed east over the Canada Southern Railway on Wednesday.

—Mr. Daniel McDonald, of Wallaceburg, one day lately, while feeding a young horse, had one of his ears bitten off by the animal.

—During the progress of St. Patrick's concert at Guelph on Wednesday, an alarm of "fire" was raised and a panic ensued. Fortunately no one was injured.

The ice bridge which has existed all winter at Port Huron, near the head of the St. Clair rapids, came to grief last Wednesday afternoon.

—The Supreme Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, S. S. Davis, of Nashua, N. H., has intimated to the Grand Chancellor of Ontario his intention to be present at the session of the Grand Lodge at Sarnia in June.

—Large quantities of hay are being sold from the township of Warwick to farmers from Mosa, Euphemia and Brooke, the prices paid being $8 per ton at the barn, and $9 to $10 delivered.

The Presbyterians at Strathroy are talking seriously of erecting a new church at a cost of of from $8,000 to $10,000. Their edifice is becoming too small for the increasing congregation.

Specialties.

—It is the fashion in Trenton to make over the winter bonnets for spring use, and they do say that some of the reconstructed—are splendid.

—Unusual briliancy of the stars at the zenith is said to be a sure indication of coming rain. Observe and see if the statement is true.

—The first business of a life insurance company, it would appear from recently published lists of salaries, is to insure a fortune for its officers.

—Hardware dealers should anticipate the necessities of their trade, as the season for gate-riding approaches, and have a supply of substantial hinges in stock.

—The country singing schools are closing their affairs, and the young man who has not settled the question with her will have to hold over until another winter.

—Those who like oranges and think proper to eat them on the street should have enough consideration for the limbs of other pedestrians to throw the peel in the gutter.

FOR SALE.

A GOOD BUILDING PLOT of Fifteen Acres. Land loomy and adapted for garden purposes, lying on Station Street, Second Concession of Thurlow, a little over a quarter of a mile from the station. For particulars see the owner on the premises.

MRS. DAVID O'KEEF.
Belleville, April 8, 1877. 1md&w

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES!!

CALL AND SEE
OUR NEW STOCK
OF
CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES
JUST RECEIVED,
And will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.
Brown & St. Charles,

TO RENT.

TWO OFFICES in This Building. Rent Five Dollars per month.
Enquire at THIS OFFICE.

WANTED.

A GOOD STEADY MAN, as Gardner and Coachman. Apply to
WILLIAM MINORE,
Furniture Warehouse,
3i Gibbard's Old Stand.

FOR SALE.

100 Brls. Choice Apples.
AT
Ashley's Cheese Warehouse
G. T. R. STATION,
—AT—
$2 to $2.25 PER BBL.,
FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.
Also a lot of CULLS, at 50c to $1 per Bbl.

Orders left at C. F. Smith's Tin Shop, or Henry Canniff's Grocery, opposite Upper Bridge, will receive prompt attention.
Belleville, April 2nd, 1877. 7i

SPRING ROOM PAPERS
AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of
ENGLISH ROOM PAPER
Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it
AT VERY LOWEST PRICES:
All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.
Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds
An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.
J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.
April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.
DR. D. E. BURDETT.
Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

OPERA HOUSE!

THREE NIGHTS ONLY.
COMMENCING
MONDAY, APRIL 9th.
THEATRE ROYAL
COMPANY.
PATRONIZED by EARL DUFFERIN.
Admission 25 and 50 Cents.
Seats secured without extra charge at Harrison's Music Store.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at our new store, 260 Front St.
A. E. FISH & CO.

HAMBLY'S
CONFECTIONERY,
Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.

All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered

At Lowest Reasonable Rates.

And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.

A NEW THING.
COCOA-NUT MACAROONS,
A most delicious Confection.

WEDDING CAKES,
CHRISTENING CAKES,
JELLIES, &c., &c.
Turkeys Boned, Dressed and Jellied.
Tongues Jellied and Ornamented.
Hams Cooked and Ornamented.
Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c.,
MADE TO ORDER.
BREAD.
A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
PHIL. H. HAMBLY.
April 4, 1877.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of
WEDNESDAY, 11th INST.,
FOR
Lighting and Furnishing
ALL OF THE STREET LAMPS IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,
BURNING COAL OIL!
for one year from date of contract.
For further particulars apply to the undersigned.
SAMUEL HAMBLY,
Chairman of Fire, Water and Gas Com.
Belleville, April 4, 1877. 6i

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,
E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD,
Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.
FRESH ORANGES TO-DAY

SPRING OPENING
—OF—
MILLINERY
TUESDAY, APR. 10
MUIR & LAWRENCE.

Alma Mills
FLOUR & FEED STORE.
—(o)—
GREAT
REDUCTION!
IN THE PRICE OF
FLOUR & FEED.

The Alma Mills having been Refitted, and all the Latest Improvements in Machinery put in, including

A PURIFIER, &C.,
ARE NOW RUNNING
NIGHT AND DAY,
Therefore I can keep a full supply of FLOUR AND FEED Constantly on Hand.
The Goods are of the Very First Quality.
AND THE PRICES CANNOT BE BEAT.

LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3.30
" PASTRY " " "	3.75
" GRAHAM " " "	3.30
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	3 50
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per "	1.40
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.30
BRAN, " "	90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	55
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1 20 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.
H. CORBY, JR.
April 9, 1877. d&w1m

TO THE PUBLIC.

Having recently made an important change in our business in adopting the Strictly Cash System, we take this opportunity, on the opening of another season, to set before our customers and the public generally, some of the benefits of the Cash basis upon which we now seek to continue and extend our trade.

If the plan we propose meets with the general approval and support we anticipate, it will certainly be a benefit to ourselves, as it will undoubtedly prove an advantage to our customers.

To sell Cheaply one must buy Cheaply. With this in view we have made arrangements to pay prompt Cash ourselves for all our goods bought in Britain, thereby securing the advantage of discounts on purchases so made. And further, to save the great expense of going over to England every season, our purchases will henceforth be made by a resident buyer, one who is thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the Canadian trade, and who knows where to buy the various classes of goods the best and cheapest.

We have also secured the advantages afforded by large quantities being bought at one time. Though we are the largest importers of Dry Goods in this section of the Province, as is shown by the returns at the Custom House here, still the quantities required are not sufficient alone to give us access to the best markets. But now the person who buys for us is buying at the same time goods of a similar kind for other houses like ours throughout Canada and the United States, amounting in the aggregate to the value of from twenty to thirty times the amount of our order. By this means we get the benefit of large purchases, as well as obtain access to markets where we should be excluded if we merely had the buying of the comparatively small quantity we alone might need. And we may here mention what may not be generally known, that the terms of most of the larger manufacturers in England and Scotland are now Strictly Cash; and further, they are under obligations to the Middlemen, or Wholesale Dealers, not to sell any person under a certain quantity, generally a much larger quantity than any one retail house can handle. So, were we buying our own stock separately, even were it many times larger than it is, we should be compelled to purchase from others than first hands.

Our new stock of goods bought by us under the above arrangement is now forward, and will be found very complete, and we shall endeavour to maintain the assortment throughout the season, ordering goods as they are required. We would here invite all who may be needing articles for personal or household use to view the goods and see the prices.

We will continue to make it a rule, as we have hitherto done, that all customers on entering our premises shall be left entirely free to exercise their choice, and to buy or not, as they may see fit.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO.
Belleville, 2nd April, 1877.

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,
(de PARIS) the Experienced
Ladies Hair Dresser,
ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER
And Practical Wig Maker
At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.
Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.
PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.
All Orders Promptly attended to.
Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

INSPECT OUR STOCK.

We have received the greater portion of our
SPRING STOCK OF
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,
And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.
Goods will be shown with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.
HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, April 5th, 1877.
N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

TAKE NOTICE!
THAT THE
Balance of the Stock
—OF—
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
AND
WOODENWARE!
Of the Estate of the
LATE JAMES KENNEDY,
WILL BE SOLD
At Whatever can be Got for it,
IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.
IN THE OLD STAND,
Opposite Smith's Tin Store,
BELLEVILLE
JAMES HENNESSY.

GO TO
A. N. PRINGLE'S
FOR
SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING
As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.
REMEMBER that he is
DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.
ALL WORK WARRANTED.
Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ...	6.50 a m
No. Express, ...	6.10 p m
Mixed	9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ...	12.05 p m
No. 3 Express, ...	12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 9.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

ARRIVAL.—The S. S. Sarmatian arrived at Halifax on Saturday night with 15 cabin and 103 steerage passengers.

THE REVIVAL.—The revival which has been in progress at the C M. Church has resulted in the conversion of over 400 persons.

THE FIRST ARRIVAL.—Scow "Monitor" arrived in the harbor on Saturday afternoon, light She is the first arrival of the season.

DELAYED.—The ferry steamer "Prince Edward" suffered a considerable delay today, by a floe of ice which blocked up her slip on the Prince Edward shore.

REV. R. S. FORNERI.—The "Evangelical Churchman" says it is reported that the Rev. R. S. Forneri is about leaving Belleville having received an appointment at Port Perry.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

THE CELLS.—One tramp and a drunk, who was discharged yesterday morning, were the only inmates of the cells on Saturday night. One tramp was provided with lodgings last night.

REFITTING.—The work of refitting the "Peerless," which is now owned by Toronto parties, was begun to-day by Mr. Stoneberg. She will be in sailing trim by Saturday next.

THE FIRST.—The first display of bunting in the harbor was made from the masthead of the schooner William Elgin yesterday. It was a sight highly relished by all the sailors here.

BUILDING.—The Kingston *Whig* says:—This will likely be a busy summer. A great deal of building is anticipated, and preparations are actively in progress for the season's operations.

THE "NORSEMAN."—This steamer will go into dry dock at Ogdensburg instead of at Port Dalhousie as noticed a few days ago. She passed down the St. Lawrence on Saturday.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as the best, has complied with the popular demand, and reduced from $4 00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

ARRESTED.—The "Daily News" says:—A young man from Pittsburgh named Gould was arrested at Belleville a few days ago. It is said that he represented to Mr. Turney, of Gananoque, that he possessed a farm, and obtained some money upon it.

"TEMPERANCE."—This was the subject of a lecture delivered by Mrs. Youmans in Hamilton on Friday evening last before a large and respectable audience. Dr. Cadieux will appear in the same city this week "prior to his departure for Europe."

ATTENTION.—The Court for the revision and correction of the Voters' Lists will be held in the Court House here to-morrow. Interested parties should make a note of this and govern themselves accordingly.

TENDERS.—Tenders for the lighting of street lamps burning coal oil, are advertised for by the Chairman of the Fire, Water and Gas Committee. Applications will be received until noon on Wednesday.

PIKE.—These fish have commenced running up the river, and to-day boys with spears in their hands could be seen moving along the banks of the stream ready to make a plunge at whatever passed in their vicinity.

THE MARKET SQUARE.—The work of cleaning up the Market Square was begun this morning, a number of laborers being employed in collecting the dirt that has accumulated in that vicinity during the winter.

DID YOU EVER.—Not content with the possession of a "fire prophet," Oswego trots out a ghost which makes its appearance every Friday night. His ghostship is to be interviewed by a reporter and rich developments are expected.

CLEANING UP.—We are pleased to learn that an active interest is now being taken in the cleanliness of the town. A general clearing-up of back yards has been begun, while not a few of our business men are brushing up the exterior of their stores. Let the good work go on.

NAVIGATION NOTE.—Navigation is open between Cape Vincent and Kingston, the steamer "Pierrepont" having made the passage clear on Saturday morning last. The ice which she had to break averaged from 10 to 18 inches in thickness.

A NEW IDEA.—It is now proposed to run the G. T. R. trains through Kingston, and several routes have been proposed, one of which, it is expected, will be followed. If this scheme is carried into effect the city will be greatly benefitted thereby.

WARNING.—The spearing of pike at this season of the year is an illegal act and leaves the offender subject to a fine of twenty dollars. If that law were changed and a bounty paid for each pike, billfish and mudcat that was killed, our streams would be stocked with a larger, finer and better class of fish than now runs in them.

HONORARY VISIT.—On Sunday afternoon the Society of St. Vincent De Paul whilst holding its meeting was honored by a visit from His Lordship the Bishop of Kingston who, after addressing the members in very encouraging terms, wished the Conference God-speed in its charitable work. His Lordship preached yesterday in the R. C. Church to a large congregation.

PERPETUAL MOTION.—The Messrs. McGee, of Seeley's Bay, are said to have discovered a self-sustaining power to impel machinery, which will act and operate independent of any external aid. A patent has been taken out in Canada for this machine, and it is anticipated a great mechanical revolution will be the result of such an important discovery.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.—George Spangenberg and Mr. Tracy procured a rig on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of delivering a $30 clock which had been purchased at the store of the first named gentleman. When on Taylor's Hill the horse ran away, threw the occupants out of the buggy and smashed the time-piece into smithereens. The two young men escaped with slight injuries.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—Harry Lindley, assisted by a dramatic company, will begin a season of three nights in the Opera House this evening, opening in "Dora." Mr. Lindley will have the assistance of a number of good performers, and no effort will be spared to make the entertainment pleasing and enjoyable. Lindley will render some of his characteristic vocalizations, and Miss Robinson, who is reported to be an excellent singer, will also appear. The performance will conclude with the "A Spectral Illusion." Seats may be secured at Harrison's.

NEW DOMINION MONTHLY.—The April number of this favorite magazine has been received. We are pleased to note substantial evidence of an increasing popularity and patronage. Among the contents of this number we find "Madura," "Thoughts on Keats," "My Young Master," "Across the Biddossoa," "The Girl's Voyage," "An April Pleasure Sail," &c. The "Young Folks," "Home" and "Literary" departments are as full and interesting as usual.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

MONDAY, 9th April, 1877.

ASSAULT.

A charge of assault preferred by Margaret Blair Elizabeth Henderson, was adjourned till to-morrow.

THE FERRY PRIVILEGE.

The case of John Jellett vs. Francis Hebert and Francis Briard, was further enlarged till to-morrow.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT!

On Saturday morning last Mr. D. S. Dulmage, who resides on the Madoc Road near Garner's Hotel, appeared before A. Diamond, Esq., Police Magistrate, and laid an information against William Alford and Allan McMullen, for breaking into his premises on the night of the 4th inst., and assaulting, beating, and kicking him. A warrant was at once issued against the offending parties, and County Constable Holmes proceeded to the locality where the law-breakers resided, for the purpose of arresting them, but they could not be found.

The trouble arose as follows:—A few months ago Dulmage, who had been living on the other side of the line, returned here, and after looking about for a location, decided to begin the blacksmithing business in the section spoken of above. There was an establishment of the same kind at the place prior to his arrival there, and its proprietor, W. M. Alford, did not approve of Dulmage's coming. On the contrary, he got jealous, and decided on taking action which would result in his rival's departure. Accordingly, on the night of Wednesday last, Alford, accompanied by a river-driver named Allan McMullen, proceeded to Dulmage's house, and having broken in the door, began hitting him with clubs as he lay in bed. After giving the man a terrible beating, they left him in an unconscious state and went into another part of the house. When Dulmage regained his senses the ruffians were washing themselves, and he, thinking he might be killed did he remain, got out through a window of his bedroom, and walking across a field, hid himself in the corner of a fence.

Dulmage evidently made a game resistance to his antagonists, as it took them some time to get through washing themselves. Afterwards they re-entered the room where they supposed their victim was, and were, of course surprised to find that he had "vamoosed." They searched the house and also the adjacent premises, but were unable to find him. Dulmage, who still remained in the fence corner, could hear them talking and searching for him, and decided it was best to put as much distance between himself and his assailants as possible and he therefore beat a retreat, eventually hauling up at a house about four miles from the scene of the occurrence. He remained there till Saturday morning when he came to Belleville and invoked the aid of the law.

From the character of the beating Dulmage received it is evident that Alford and McMullen intended to murder him, for his body and limbs are terribly swollen and discolored; the wonder is that he wasn't killed. The assault is one of the most brutal and cowardly that we have heard of as having occurred in this locality.

No trace of the ruffians can now be found, and it is supposed that they have gone to some other section of the country. We only hope that they will yet be arrested and justice meted out to them for their offences.

—When a man wears a look of sadness and destroys tooth-picks at the rate of ten an hour—ten to one he has given more money to the missionary collectors than he intended.

—Our advice to the chap who stands on the step of a street car to smoke is, that when passengers wish to enter he should at least have manners enough to give them room to pass, and not rub the ashes all over the passenger's coat.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

SOMEWHAT PECULIAR.

CINCINNATI, April 9.—Gen. Cary, late Greenback candidate for Vice-President, was charged with buying a Colorado mine for $22,000, and charging stockholders $50,000. The Court decides Cary must account for the balance of $28,000.

CHEYENNE, April 9.—Spotted Tail has arrived with Crazy Horse and 1,500 men, women and children, who have surrendered. This leaves only the Cheyennes still hostile. A force of Indians has been enlisted to bring them in.

THE RIVAL GOVERNMENTS.

NEW YORK, April 9.—The *Tribune's* New Orleans special says the Commission has induced some members of the Packard Legislature to take action towards a settlement by uniting the dual legislatures. This is without Packard's approval. The Nicholls party firmly opposes the union.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Washington specials to the *Times* say the President will spend the summer months at the Soldiers' Home near Washington.

The *World* says at a Conference of Chamberlain and Patterson with Northern Republicans on Thursday, it was decided that Chamberlain should hold the State House, and compel the use of troops to instal Hampton. No doubt exists that Blaine, Butler and others intend to assail the Hayes policy.

A CONSPIRACY.

The *Tribune* says special Treasury agents are investigating a conspiracy to import millions worth of silks at New York, by a conspiracy for wholesale undervaluation. This is accomplished by manufacturers and agents in Europe, and it is believed by the connivance of New York Customs officials. A. T. Stewart & Co., and other large importers, have been unable to compete with this combination.

A RECOGNITION.

The German Government has tendered Minister Washburne high orders of knighthood, in recognition of services to suffering Germans at Paris during the seige. The decoration contains costly diamonds, and is worth $50,000. Under the Constitution Washburn cannot accept it, but it is retained for him in case of his resignation.

REFUSES AN INTERVIEW.

The *Tribune's* London special says that Oakey Hall obstinately refused an interview with their correspondent.

BRUTALITY.

Cornelius Scanlin was bound hand and foot and thrown from the 2nd storey window of a tenement last night. He cannot survive. The occupants of the premises are mostly Italians.

THE TWEED CASE.

The *Tribune* says Tweed's confession is expected to show that Judges Folger and Andrews, both of the Court of Appeals were elected by fraud in N. Y. $250,000 was certainly paid to five Senators for the passage of the Tweed Charter.

In Sweeny's recent interview with Hall he assailed the latter bitterly for intriguing to effect his own release, and then deserting his comrades. Hall's flight is attributed to this interview.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Samuel Richardson died yesterday from the bite of a strange cat inflicted on New Year's day.

The body of James Howie, who disappeared Saturday noon, was found in the East River yesterday, with $6,000 in bonds in his pocket.

Henry McGinnis fell six stories down the Grand Central Hotel elevator on Saturday night and was mangled to death. Since the opening of this hotel, seven years ago, six boys have been killed by the elevator.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

WHAT RUSSIA WILL DO.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 9.—The *Journal* to-day says that in the event of the Porte refusing to accept the Protocol, Russia will act immediately.

WAR INEVITABLE.

LONDON, April 9.—A despatch from Constantinople says the Porte rejects the principal clauses in the Protocol; refuses to admit the Russian declaration of disarmament, and also declines to send an envoy to St. Petersburg, and finally insists on being left alone in dealing with Montenegro. War is now considered inevitable and imminent.

EFFECTS OF THE EIGHT HOUR SYSTEM.

BIRMINGHAM, April 9.—Thorneycroft & Co's., Wolverhampton Iron Works are to be closed, because the enforcement of the eight hour system by the miners has resulted in continuous loss. Twelve hundred working men are thrown out of employment.

TURKEY OBJECTIONS TO THE PROTOCOL.

LONDON, April 9.—Specials report that Safet Pasha told the foreign representatives that Turkey objected to the Protocol, because the Bulgarian massacres were the result of intrigues by foreign agitators, and because Turkey was carrying out the promised reforms.

AMERICAN.

A MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR.

HUDSON, N.Y., April 9.—The exhuming of a full grown skeleton at Athens, opposite this city, on Saturday, is creating considerable excitement. The discovery brings to mind the mysterious disappearance of two men at different times within a few years.

FIRES REPORTED.

NEW YORK, April 9.—The City Hotel and adjoining buildings at Norwalk, O. Loss, $13,000.

FIRE AND LOSS OF LIFE

CONYERS, Ga., April 9.—The jail has been burned. The only prisoners were two negroes; they were burned to death. It is supposed they set fire to the building so as to escape.

PANIC IN A CHURCH.

NEW YORK, April 9.—At the funeral of the organist of St. Patrick's Cathedral this morning, the drapery about the organ ignited. A wild rush for the doors ensued. The officiating clergymen and laymen sternly demanded order, and quieted the people. Several were slightly injured.

—The newest thing in foot covering is "La botte chimere," which is laced down the heels. The superfluities of female pedals have now a tendency to run backward.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—Tupper's goose, the member for Victoria, N.S., has gone home for the remainder of the session. He patriotically labored until he was sure he could draw the full sessional allowance and then he vanished.

—And now, alas, the stern upholder of the British Constitution, Brother Beaty, is tarred with the Northern Railway stick. We did think there was one incorruptible politician on the Tory side, but 'twas ever thus.

—The Hamilton *Times'* Ottawa correspondent fathoms the situation in saying that the recent workingmen's "demonstration" was got up to order, that "the old "Tory compact is more hungry for office "than the workingmen for food."

—Mr. Rufus Stephenson was crying around the House again on Friday for the missing pages of some returns that he had been asking for. Mr. Speaker stated that Rufus had them in his possession for quite a time, and that they were regularly paged after he returned them, and remain so still. Maybe Rufus, in an oblivious moment, lit his pipe with them.

—A woman having read a poem about a simoon that "swept the plains," is urging her husband to get one o' them new fangled things for her to use in the kitchen.

Married.

At St. Michael's Church, Belleville, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. V. G. Farrelly, JAMES J. LANDY, of the ONTARIO Office, to ROSE A. PARKS, of Jackson, Michigan.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, April 9.

Greenbacks buying at...	94⅛ to 94⅜
" selling at....................	95⅛ to 95⅜
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver..........................	15
Sterling exchange 184⅛	

Gold opened at 105; closed at 105⅛.

Montreal Markets.

MONTREAL, April 9.

Flour—Receipts 1953 barrels. Market quiet and firm, holders asking an advance of 5 to 10cts, per barrel. Sales, 300 barrels choice strong bakers at 6.75; 100 do at 6.65; 100 spring extra at 6.40; 50 barrels Hoxalls at 8.25; 200 America bags at 3.12½. 200 do at 3.55.

Ashes and provisions unchanged.

Peas—400 bush, U. C, white sold at 92½c. per 66 lbs.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 9, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 6,250 Shipments 4,347. Market active 5 to 10cts. advance; packers and shippers buying light grades; selling 5.20 for mixed heavy to packers; 5.15 to 5.40 for heavy for shipping. Official receipts on Saturday 7,990.

New York Markets.

New York, April 9, 1877.

Gold—105⅛.

Cotton—Quiet, 11 7-16.

Flour—5 to 10cts better; receipts, 13,000 barrels; sales, 14,000 barrels.

Rye Flour—Very firm, at $4 30 to $5.00.

Wheat—Unsettled, at $1.56 to $1.58; receipts. 12,000; sales none.

Rye—Firm.

Corn—Shade firmer; 162,000 bush.; sales 58,000 at 56, 57, 57½.

Barley—Quiet. No. 1 at 93 to 96; 2 rowed at 60 to 65 six do at 65 to 70.

Oats—Firmer. Receipts 38,000 bush; sales 26,000 bush, 45 to 57c for mixed; 46 to 59 for white.

Pork—Dull at 15 00.

Lard—Quiet at 9.80.

Butter—12 to 23c.

Cheese—15 to 30c.

Petroleum—Crude 10⅜ to 11c; refined 16¼

A Severe Cold caused the Muscles of my Neck to contract: could not move my head. GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA gave instant relief. FRANK HERMANCE, Conductor N. Y., and New Haven R. R.

☞Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

ELECTRICITY! THOMAS' EXCELSIOR ECLECTRIC OIL!—WORTH TEN TIMES ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years'standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful" Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

BEWARE OF IMITATION.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and TAKE NO OTHER. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

NOTE—Eclectric—Selected and Electrized

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remedy and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

E GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.
JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills
invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure o
and dangerous diseases to which the fe-
is subject. It moderates all excess
tions, from whatever cause.
LADIES
those pain
male constitution
very powerful con-
and removes all obst
TO MARR
t is peculiarly suited, and althou
tains nothing hurtful to the constitution.
In all cases of Nervous and Spina Affec..
in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Ex..
Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.
JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETO
$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the D minion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail
For sale b all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D., Bible House, New York City. 3tawd&w6m

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

IN BELLEVILLE, ON

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office,
TOWN HALL, BELLEVILLE,
March 29, 1877.
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USE PARSONS'S RAT & ROACH EXTERMINATOR BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

From the Rev. B. Davis, D. D. Minister of the Baptist Church, Montreal.

I most willingly bear testimony to the good effects of PARSONS' EXTERMINATOR. I found my present dwelling overrun with beetles and roaches; one box has sufficed to exterminate the insects entirely from the house. Similar cases of success have occurred in the neighborhood. BENJ. DAVIS, 4 Sydenham Place.
Montreal, 15 Nov., 1869.

The Celebrated Imported

CLYDESDALE HORSE,

"Scott's Fusileer,"

The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville

FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season,

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel,

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

TO LET,

A CONVENIENT BRICK HOUSE, situated on the Corner of Geddes and Campbell Streets near Albert College. There are Six Bed-Rooms, Parlour, Dining Room, Kitchen, Wood Shead, Good Cellar, Hard and Soft Water, and Good Drive House and Stables. Apply to

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April 5, 1877. 3i

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And Dress-Making.

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On Thursday Next, April 5th,

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French and English FLOWERS,
Real and Imitation LACES,
Ribbons, Plumes, and Fancy Ornaments,
together with a general assortment of the most Fashionable DRESS GOODS.

A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

R. COSTELLO.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,

HARDWARE STOCK

FOR SALE BY TENDER.

TENDERS for the assets en bloc of the estate of

JOHN LEWIS & CO.,

of Belleville, will be received by the undersigned until the 13th APRIL, 1877, the security offered to be named in the Tenders. The Assets consist of

Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
Book Debts " " "	5,250
Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

The stock, inventory, and list of debts can be seen, and all information obtained from Mr. James Hambly, on the premises, who is instructed to afford every facility to intending purchasers.

THOMAS DARLING,
Assignee.

182 St. James Street, Montreal,
29th March, 1877.
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SPRING OPENING

—AT—

FOSTER, BARBER & BRIGNALL'S

TO-MORROW THURSDAY.

WE invite all th... ...e Ladies to visit our store and Show Rooms To-morrow, and ... ...arefully inspect our Stock of New Goods and Note our Prices, fee... ...eling satisfied we can convince a thoroughly posted public that our fac... ...lities for procuring a First-Class Stock, direct from the producers, on ... ...the Very Best Terms, is unequalled in this part of the Province.

We make a Specialty of the FANCY DRY GOODS TRADE, and ... from experience find that it can only be done successfully by visiting the Old Coun... Markets each season and selecting the CHOICEST GOODS when they first appear, as were we to trust to a person who buys for a number of houses in different parts of so large a country as Canada, we would often get goods totally unsuited to our trade.

This season our stock is UNUSUALLY ATTRACTIVE, and will be sold at EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES.

Belleville, April 4th, 1877.

ROME FALLS.

FREE TRADE TRIUMPHANT.

CHEAP JOHN!

SELLING OUT

HIS IMMENSE STOCK

For the Benefit of His Creditors.

Commencing on Monday March the 26th,

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WILL OFFER HIS ENTIRE STOCK OF

Groceries, Dry Goods,
Ready-Made Clothing Boots and Shoes,
Hardware, Crockery, &c.

In Lots to Suit Purchasers, at Prices

LESS THAN COST OF PRODUCTION.

As his whole stock

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All desirous of obtaining

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RAWDON COUNCIL.

Town Hall, Rawdon,
April 2nd, 1877.

Present—Messrs. Walker (Reeve), Cook, Jeffries and Montgomery (Councillors).

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Cook presented the petition of Alexander McDonald, of Toronto, against the assessment of the south ½ of Lot No. 24 in the third concession.

Mr. Walker presented the petition of Eber Guarnsey and 11 others, for support for the Widow Youngs, which was received.

Weston Wright made application for support, which was received.

Mr. Walker presented the act of John Campbell for furnishing timber for Guarnsey's Bridge—amount, $26.

Edward Tanner made application for stone hammers for road-beat No. 30, which was received.

M. P. Tradett made application for a scraper on road-beat No. 87, which was received.

Austin J. Potts made application for a scraper on road-beat No. 35, which was received.

Anson Cummings made application for a scraper on road-beat No. 76, which was received.

David Wellman made application for stone-hammers on road-beat No. 46, which was received.

Moved by Mr. Montgomery, seconded by Mr. Jeffries, that Messrs. Walker and Cook be appointed to get all the papers and information they can concerning the concession road across Lots Nos. 5 and 6, between the 1st and 2nd concessions, and report at the next meeting of the Council.—Carried.

Mr. Cook presented the petition of Henry Hoover and 8 others for a grant of money on the road in front of Lot. No. 18 in the 7th concession, which was received and laid over until the June session.

The application of George Wiggins laid over at the last meeting of the Council for making fires, cleaning Town Hall and taking charge of the yard be granted at the salary of $12.

The auditors report was examined by the Council, found correct and passed and was ordered to be published in the *Intelligencer* and *Ontario Chronicle*.

The following Acts were ordered to be paid: John Campbell for timber for Guarnseys Bridge, amount $26.40; widow Young for support $8; Weston Wright for support $10; Widow Sinclar for support $13; Stephen McQuigg for support $13; Wm. Barton for non-resident statute labor $3; James Bird Assessor for servises $50; Ira McConnell Assessor for services $50.

Council adjourned until the first Monday in May.

Joseph Hoole,
Clerk.

THE PRAIRIE FARMER ON CANADA THISTLES.

We find the following in the issue of the journal above-named for March 24, 1877.

"The excitement over Canada thistles in the West, followed by legislative enactments a few years since, some of which actually forbade this pest to grow, seems to be dying out. We have heretofore expressed the opinion, that with ordinary care there would be but little danger of this spreading seriously on ordinary prairie soils. This is again called fresh to mind by an ancient epigram from the London "Agricultural Gazette," relating to the stinging nettle, and to thistles, which reads as follows:

"Nettles cut in Aprile
Appear in a little while,
In May
They peep out the next day.
In June
They appear very soon.
In July
They're hard to die.
In August
Die they must,"

A more modern version reads thus;

If the nettles seen in May
Reappear another day;
Do not let their scions stay,
But soon as seen, cut all away.
Thus they'll be scotched ere leafy June
Prepares them for another tune;
For July's leaves are Flora's needs
For making stems, and roots, and seeds
Now, Autumn kills the former down,
But root-stalk though the leaves are grown.

These of course will not apply directly to Canada thistles, except in a general sense. If, however, the plants are not allowed to make leaves they must die; and, if the seed is not allowed to be formed it will not be blown about. Though cultivation will soon eradicate the pest on prairie soils."

Our Contemporary sound a less alarming note than the case warrants in regard to this pest of the farm. It will need more than "ordinary care" to prevent the Canada thistle spreading in the great West. The prairie soil is just the seed bed to suit this inveterate weed. Let it once get a foothold in the deep, rich soil of the prairie and it will be hard to eradicate it. Even "thorough cultivation" hardly suffices for its extermination when once established. Prevention is better than cure, and if by "exitement" or "legislative enactment" this noxious plant can be kept from gaining a foothold, the prairie farmers will find their account in it. At present this weed is one of the heaviest of all the dead weights on the productive industry of Canadian farmers, and we should be sorry to knew that it gave our Western cousins the same amount of trouble to keep it down that it does ourselves.

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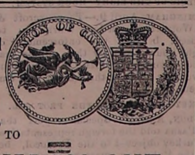

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FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

SATURDAY, April 7th.

After routine Mr. CARTWRIGHT moved the House into Committee of Supply.

Mr. BOWELL moved an amendment, declaring it inexpedient and improper that the Government should enter into any agreement or contract by which public money is paid to members of Parliament, and that the independence of the House had been violated in the contracts for printing and stationery entered into by the Government with Mr. Anglin, M. P. for Gloucester. Mr. Bowell made a long speech in support of his motion.

Mr. MACKENZIE replied. He declined to follow the example of the previous speaker in diverging from the simple question at issue into a general discussion of the political character or conduct of his administration. He repelled the motion that he and others of his colleagues were precluded from expressing their own personal convictions on matters not immediately pressing for solution. If the motion had been confined to the first sentence or two it would probably have met with little or no opposition. He had never changed his opinion on this subject. More than a year ago the Government took steps to put a stop to the transactions referred to. Some time near the end of 1875 the Postmaster-General brought to the notice of the Government the fact that Post-office printing was in the Lower Provinces being done by private offices. That system was now changed, and all printing was done by contract. The only alteration in the existing practice previously made had been to change the offices at which the work was done, as it was of course in the hands of political opponents. The Government, on issuing the order to stop the work from going on, intimated that either they would purchase any paper on hand at market prices, or allow the printers to use it up, but not to proceed with any new material.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD followed, prefacing his remarks with a fulsome and reiterated eulogy of the Speaker's conduct in the chair ever since he had presided over the House, and adding that the Premier seemed determined to make the Speaker the scapegoat for the sins of the Government. He contended that the Government were censureable for having had the printing done at the *Freeman* office in the first place, and also because, as he averred, they had not stopped the practice on its being made known to them. He referred to the Col. Gray case, and while not going so far as to defend his own Government in regard thereof, remarked that at least they had had an Act of Parliament behind them in what they had done, however indefensible that Act of Parliament might have been. In the present case there was no such excuse. There was far more danger to the independence of Parliament in a member receiving a contract than in his having a salaried office, while sitting and voting in the House.

Sir John resumed the debate after recess and closed with an appeal to the House to support the amendment.

Mr. BLAKE rose to reply, and was received with loud and prolonged cheers. He began by stating that he did not retract to the extent of one iota what he had said on previous occasions regarding the independence of Parliament, and then proceeded to show that the Opposition had totally misrepresented the meaning and intention of the Act bearing on that subject. He proceeded to refer to the circumstances under which the Independence of Parliament Act was modified by the late Government. Such a feeling had, however, been produced by the position taken by Sir John Macdonald in regard to that Act that he had been obliged to amend the law and deprive himself of the much-coveted power of availing himself of the services of members of Parliament who held Government offices. After ironically congratulating the leader of the Opposition on his conversion to more rigid ideas on the subject of independence of Paliament, he proceeded to refer to the Col. Gray case, showing that the mover of the amendment had misrepresented the course he (Mr. Blake) had taken in regard to it. Instead of doing as the member for North Hastings had done, viz: moving an amendment to the motion to go into Supply, which did not, according to the rules of the House, admit of further amendment, he had moved an independent motion, not asserting that there was a breach of the independence of Parliament in Col. Gray sitting in the House, for the law was so loosely framed that he had a legal if not a moral right to sit in the House, but a motion in the direction of recommending a more rigid law. The effect of carrying the present motion would be to declare the seat of the member for Gloucester vacant, without any attempt at the investigation or enquiry which was usual under such circumstances. He pointed out that the almost invariable practice in England was that when there was the slightest room for dispute or argument, the case was referred for investigation to the Committee on Privileges and Elections. Had a substantive motion to that effect been offered, he for one should have at once agreed to it, but this was clearly intended simply to embarrass the Government. He would not at present express any opinion as to whether the case was one coming within the Act or not. It was perfectly proper for himself or any other member of the House to reserve his opinion until, in fairness to the Speaker and to Parliament, there was a full investigation. After referring to the actual circumstances of the case as set forth on the evidence of official documents, he remarked it was a quirk worthier of a Division Court pettifogger than the leader of an Opposition to say that the circumstances had not been known to the House until this session, seeing that the details of the whole matter had appeared in the Postmaster-General's reports for 1875 and 1876. The truth was that the matter had been known long ago, and it had just taken two years for the Opposition to decide that Mr. Speaker had violated the independence of Parliament, and they they proposed to condemn him without a moment's enquiry. The hon. gentleman then resumed his seat amid loud applause, after delivering one of the ablest and most convincing speeches ever heard in Parliament.

The debate was continued by Dr. Tupper, Mr. Huntington and others and near midnight was adjourned on motion of Mr. Costigan.

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The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 10.

WRITS have been taken out in the Courts against Mr. Norris, of Lincoln, but there is no probability that they will come to anything.

THE Parliamentary proceeding for Saturday will be found on first page. If our space permitted we would give Mr. Blake's speech in full. It was a master argument, and completely upset the calculations of the Opposition.

NEARLY all the Opposition members who were *en route* for home, not intending to return again this session, have been recalled for the Anglin vote. With the aid of some Reform votes, the Opposition expect to accomplish something unusual, but we will see.

MR. JOHN MACDONALD, of Centre Toronto, very unexpectedly to all, and very agreeably so to the Conservatives, yesterday attacked Mr. Charlton's report of the finding of the Secret Service Committee as being unfair to Sir John. Messrs. Blake and Mackenzie pointed out his misconception of several of the paragraphs, and offered to amend what was thought unfair.

BY adopting the course they have, in moving an amendment to the motion to go into Committee of Supply, the Opposition have placed the Anglin case in such a position before the House as to deprive them of the expected sympathy of certain Reform members who are known to take strong grounds against the act condemned. The object was to give the Speaker not the slightest particle of fair play, but force upon the House a double censure of the Government and the First Commoner.

WHEN the draft of Mr. Trow's Railway Bill first appeared, we expressed our approval of most of its provisions, but objected to the one declaring that a passenger must be provided with a seat before he can be called upon either to produce a ticket or pay his trip. Referring to the same clause, the Hamilton *Times* says:—

"Most passengers pay for their tickets before they know whether they can get seats or not. It would, we suppose, in such instances, require a lawsuit to get back the money paid for the ticket—a process that would not be worth the cost and trouble of it. In addition to this, it would in many instances work harshly to make the law so absolute on this point as Mr. Trow seeks to do."

THE Kingston *Daily News* refers to the evidence given by Mr. Cumberland, to the effect that $1,000 had been paid to Mr. Gordon Brown, editor-in-chief of the *Globe*, by the Northern Railway Co., for the patent right of a new nut lock, and says the object was to purchase the influence of that paper. Our contemporary then exultantly exclaims:—

Now, then, for the opinions of the Reform organs." The organs have no opinions to offer, simply because Mr. Cumberland has acknowledged that it was a legitimate business transaction, and that the hostility of the *Globe* to the Railway Co. was not the least influenced thereby. So, you see, the alleged construction placed upon that little bargain between Mr. Cumberland and Mr. Gordon Brown won't answer. The bait didn't take. The *Globe* couldn't be bought for $1,000. Now, then, what have the Tory organs to say?

THERE is some excitement in Kingston. Sir John has announced his intention to be present at the reunion of Queen's College on the 25th inst. It is so seldom that the denizens of the old borough get a chance to gaze upon the well-known features of their member that even a non-political visit of a few hours duration excites general interest. Since his majorities in Kingston have been reduced from 300 to 15, Sir John does not take so much pleasure in renewing the friendships of nearly a quarter of a century's standing. He has lost faith in the Limestone City as a safe Tory borough, and it is very doubtful whether he ever again offers himself as a candidate for the confidence of the electors. Sir John knows that he no longer represents the opinions of a majority of the ratepayers, and does not relish being silently gazed at by an undemonstrative and hostile crowd.

THE ANGLIN CASE.

Mr. Bowell found his courage sufficiently strong on Saturday to make the promised motion with reference to the now famous Anglin case. He moved an amendment to the motion to go into Committee of Supply, and condemned the Government for having entered into an agreement or contract by which public money was paid to a member of Parliament, and declared that the Independence of the House had been violated in the contracts for printing, &c., entered into by the Government with the Speaker. Of course the object Mr. Bowell had in view was to censure, or at least embarrass the Government, and in pursuance of this intention he was not very careful how much latitude he gave his imagination, when facts were not at his disposal. Lengthy quotations were made from speeches delivered on analogous subjects by leaders of the present Government when in Opposition, and an alleged inconsistency pointed out. As in the Ontario Bank discussion, Mr. Bowell got considerably "mixed," and exposed himself to humiliating corrections by Mr. Mackenzie and Mr. Blake. The impropriety of the transaction condemned was admitted, but any responsibility by the Government was denied. More than a year ago steps had been taken to put a stop to contracts of the nature complained of, but owing to engagements already entered into by the contractor it was impossible to conclude such arrangements so soon as desirable. The Postmaster-General had, in 1875, called attention to the fact that post-office printing was being done by private offices in the Lower Provinces. The Government immediately took action and had the system changed, so that at present all printing must be contracted for in the regular way. The men who now lead the Government do not recede one iota from the position formally assumed regarding the independence of Parliament. It was Sir John A. Macdonald who so modified the Act as to enable him to have the active services of members of Parliament who held Government offices. So decidedly adverse to this principle was public opinion that he (Sir John) was compelled to amend the law and deprive himself of the much coveted advantage. The Reform leaders do not dispute the right of investigation in this matter. Had a substantive motion been made, asking that the case be submitted to an inquiry before the Committee on Privileges and Elections, no objection would have been urged. The final result of Mr. Bowell's motion will be anticipated with much interest.

Editorial Notes.

SIR EDWARD THORNTON has been visiting Lord Dufferin at Ottawa.

EVEN the Ottawa *Citizen* is convinced that the starvation cry, recently gotten up in that city, is a dreadful failure.

MR. HARPER of the Public Works Department has been presented with a handsome gold chronometer watch by his fellow employees.

MRS. BROWN and MISS MASON, of Hamilton, are holding largely attended revival services in Toronto.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD is a grandfather.

ANOTHER independent evening paper is contemplated in Toronto by Messrs. Smallpiece and Pirie, of the *National* and *Observer*.

MESSRS. JOHN LYONS & Co., contractors for Section No. 9, Lachine Canal, have assigned.

THE TOWN COUNCIL AND BLEECKER WARD.

To the Editor of the ONTARIO.

Dear Sir,—In your issue of last evening we notice a letter from a person who signs himself "Fair Play and Bleecker Ward." I do not doubt, Sir, but that if all the letters published in the journals of the day, and calling for a reply, were replied to, it would make lively work for the printers; and it is best in most cases to let these "literary splurges" pass unnoticed. But when a person under such an honest *nom de plume* as your correspondent of last evening, indulges in such choice bits of the living and dead languages as he does, we would be doing our ward a great injustice not to reply.

In the first place, your correspondent says that "many and loud have been the complaints raised by the residents of Bleecker Ward, against the actions of the Town Council in not providing them with the necessary comforts and conveniences that people in nearly every ward enjoy." Now, Mr. Editor, it is very plain that either this gentleman is a new resident, misinformed, or that he wilfully states what is not true. In the first place, a great part of Bleecker Ward is made up of that part of the town taken in on the extension of the limits of the corporation, having, previous to this, no improvements and receiving very little, if any, attention from the Township Council. Now, Sir, anyone by referring to the expenditure on town improvements can see that there has been more money spent for two years past in this Ward, in proportion to the taxes levied, than any other in Belleville. There have been new sidewalks constantly in course of construction, and there has been a great amount of draining done, to which may be attributed the fact that people have had clean sidewalks to walk on this spring, "for the first time in the memory of the oldest inhabitant." Our Ward is is very well supplied with lamps, which are lighted when we are not favored by Cynthia's beams, your correspondent, to the contrary notwithstanding. "Fair Play, &c.," wants to make the Councillors for one Ward shoulder the blame for the notoriety that Belleville has gained for noisy hackmen and hotel porters. If he refers to the minutes of the meeting of the Town Council previous to that of the 2nd instant, he will find that there was a by-law passed, prohibiting the soliciting of passengers by hackmen and others; and if he has a few moments to spare let him take a walk in the direction of the G. T. R. Depot on the arrival of one of the passenger trains, and he will find that he is in error in regard to those gentlemen who were in the habit of crying, "bus for the Queen's," "bus for the Dafoe," &c., &c. Your correspondent says that he hears of rows and disturbances nightly up in this Ward. This is not so, as every resident of the Ward knows, and as "Fair Play, &c.," must know, if he resides in this locality, which we very much doubt. He also speaks of gangs of roughs congregating at a certain street corner, and who, he says, act in a very disorderly manner. This fact is also new to the residents of this part of the town. The people of Bleecker Ward are a working people, and the majority of them are mechanics, and laboring men, who are confined in workshops all day, and who congregate in the evening in different parts of the neighborhood for friendly conversation. The term "rowdyism" is certainly grossly insulting as applied to those men. Your correspondent also states that there is a row of disorderly houses on Emily Street. Now, Mr. Editor, this is certainly not true. There is not a disorderly house on that street, or in fact, in the whole Ward. Your correspondent concludes with an invitation to the members of the Council to visit our Ward and see for themselves. We would repeat the invitation, and we are sure that after those enlightened gentlemen have seen for themselves they will treat the letter of "Fair Play and Bleecker Ward" with the contempt it deserves.

Thanking you for the use of your valuable space,
I am
Yours very truly,
HONESTY AND BLEECKER WARD.
Belleville, April 10th, 1877.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

MONDAY, April 9th.

The debate on Mr. Bowell's amendment to the motion to go into Committee of Supply was concluded last night, when the vote stood—Yeas, 77; Nays, 111. The House immediately after went into Committee of Supply, and Mr. Casey moved that all papers respecting the payment of public money to Hon. T. W. Anglin for printing and stationary for the Post office Department be referred to the Select Committee on Privileges and Elections, with instructions to enquire into the facts and report the result of that enquiry, and as to whether Mr. Anglin has vacated his seat.

After a sharp passage at arms between Mr. Mackenzie and Sir John the motion passed and the House adjourned.

RAILWAY WAR.

BRANTFORD, April 9.—Between three and four o'clock on Sunday morning, a gang of about two hundred Canada Southern men and two trains arrived in Brantford and proceeded to pull up the track of the Brantford and Port Burwell Railway. The large number of lantern lights attracted the attention of the night watchman, who proceeded to the scene of action. He immediately rang the fire alarm, and aroused the Directors of the Railway, the Mayor, Sheriff and other officials. These soon arrived and ordered the work to be stopped. No attention, however, was paid by the Southern Railway workmen, who went on very quickly and systematically pulling up the rails and casting them to one side and piling the ties on their own cars. About a mile of the track was thus destroyed, when the crowd left the town with their two trains. We understand that the Brantford & Port Burwell Railroad was handed over on Saturday to the Great Western Railway Company, and the Southern men took away only what really belonged to them. It is reported that they have done the same thing at Tilsonburgh as here. No trains can run over the road for some days.

WILL THEY SUCCEED?

Kingston papers repeat that Mayor McKelvy, since his advent to office, has exerted himself to influence the Grand Trunk authorities in favor of having the workshops removed from Belleville and Brockville to that city. The motion is warmly seconded by other influential persons, and strong hopes are entertained that Mr. Hickson may be favorably disposed. Even the City Council has taken up the question, and will give all the assistance possible in bringing about a successful issue. So far as Belleville is concerned, we do not believe that any inducements that may be offered by Kingston will convince the Grand Trunk officers of the advantage of such a movement. The shops that have been erected at this Station and other conveniences enjoyed are of such a nature as to make removal practically impossible. But, since so determined an effort is being made by Kingston to coax from us an important enterprise, it behoves our authorities to look well after their interests, and offer counter inducements to retain the workshops.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The New York *Herald* referring to the advice given by Mr. Mackenzie to the Ottawa workingmen on Friday, says: "Thousands of unemyloyed men have given themselves the same advice and found money in it."

—There is an entry of $1,000 on the Northern Railway books, given for some purpose that Mr. Cumberland cannot recollect. Was there any election about that time where some "poor young man" was a candidate?

—The latest reason advanced by the Opposition organ for upsetting the Government is that Mr. Mills doesn't say "hear, hear" in the right place. It is not a very good reason, but then it is as good as any of the others, and we must not be too fastidious.

—The Hamilton *Times* complains that Sir John, in taking its suggestion to put the charge against Mr. Norris to the test, has bungled the job so that it cannot be settled this session. The object of the "great statesman" is to have enough of the affair left to go picnicking with next summer.

—Government advertising now appears in the Toronto *Mail*. The publication of an advertisement involves a contract. Therefore, it must be held that all *Mail* shareholders who are members of the Ontario Legislature can be expelled from it and punished.

—Leading a mob armed with torches up to the very doors of Parliament to exult over a political victory, and exciting a miscellaneous crowd to take unannounced possession of the corridors of the House, are steps not far away from again destroying the Parliament Buildings by fire as the Tories did in Montreal in 1849. Apparently the people of Canada will have to decide ere long whether it can best afford to restore John A. to power or erect new Parliament Buildings.—*London 'Tiser.*

READY FOR HIS ACCUSERS

The Hamilton "Times" Ottawa correspondence says:—

Mr. Anglin privately declares point blank that there was no contract or agreement, and defies the Opposition to do their worst. He is prepared to prove that the House has no hold upon him, and is ready to meet any investigation. He assumes great confidence and invites rather than repels, the onslaught. There is not the slightest truth in the report that he intends to resign, or that writs to sue him in the courts for the penalty have been taken out. It is held that if Mr. Anglin vacated his seat by taking Government printing, so have Mr. Bowell and Sir John Macdonald, who have derived benefit from the Government advertising in the Belleville 'Intelligencer' and 'Mail.' It is also argued by some that the branch of newspaper work differs from any other kind of contracts with the Government and has always been exempt in England. It is said that if Mr. Anglin addresses the House (if he does at all) he will fortify his position by legal opinions obtained from the first lawyers in England and Canada, and will cite a large number of parliamentary precedents in his favor.

SOUTH HASTINGS TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

A more than usually large number of teachers assembled at the Pinnacle Street School-room, Belleville, on the third Saturday of March, the day being fine and the roads good. The forenoon session was taken up in the analysis of "Trapping the Tapir," in the Fourth Reader, by Wm. S. Howell, assistant teacher of High School, Trenton. The Inspector, Mr. Johnston, and Prof. Dawson, Head Master of Belleville High School, took a considerable part in explaining some of the peculiar difficulties of the piece, and quite a number of teachers took a lively interest in the discussion that ensued. Prof. Dawson attached great importance to the necessity of candidates for teachers' certificates giving a stricter attention to the classification, relation, and connection of propositions, in preparing for their written examination,—as many lose marks from a want of fullness in this part of the analysis. (See authorized Grammar.)

After dinner but few of the teachers reassembled, although a very interesting programme was provided, on account of the processions, it being St. Patrick's Day. In consequence of this the Institute adjourned, to meet again the third Saturday in April (21st), when the following programme is promised:—

1. How to teach Analysis to beginners—John Johnston, Esq.
2. Composition—Prof. Dawson.
3. Lecture on Zoological Geography—Prof. Bell.
4. Map Geography—John Johnston, Esq.
5. Classification of Propositions—"An Indian Council," Fourth Reader, p. 105,—by W. S. Howell.
6. Reading by Prof. Dawson in Fourth Reader, p. 17 and 226.

W. S. HOWELL,
Cor. Secy.
Trenton, April 9th, 1877.

OPERA HOUSE!

THIS EVENING.

BUFFALO BILL!

BUFFALO BILL.

MUSICAL MELANGE AND FARCE.

Admission 25 and 50 Cents.

Seats secured without extra charge at Harrison's Music Store.

NEW CARPETS

—IN—

BRUSSELS, WOOL,
IMPERIAL, REAL DUTCH
TAPESTY, UNION, &c.

—ALSO—

CURTAINS, in Lace and Rep.

SHEETINGS, TABLE LINENS,
TOWELLINGS, WINDOW HOLLAND
CRUMB CLOTHS, &c., &c.

We invite the attention of our customers to the above goods on account of their present low price.

Geo. Ritchie & Co.,
IMPORTERS.
April 10, 1877.

MECHANICS, ATTENTION!

YOU will find a good assortment of
TOOLS
AT LOWEST PRICES,
AT CHOWN'S.

FARMERS AND GARDENERS will find a good assortment of TOOLS in their line
AT CHOWN'S.

ALL CLASSES will find a Well Assorted Stock of
Building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, &c,
AT CHOWN'S.

ALL KINDS OF
TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE
Manufactured, and
Roofing, Eave-Troughing, Gas and Water Fitting, Plumbing and Bell Hanging
or any kind of Jobbing, attended to at Shortest notice, and with Reasonable Charges.
Our Motto is, CHEAP FOR CASH,
AT CHOWN'S
STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.
361 Front St.,
Belleville.

MAY

A GRAND HORSE FAIR
AND STALLION SHOW!

Will be held on the grounds of the
West Hastings Agricult'l Soc'ty,
BELLEVILLE,
ON the 24th of MAY,
QUEEN'S BIRTH-DAY!

When CUPS, MEDALS, and other rewards will be offered for excellence in all classes of Horses.

A track will be open to test the speed, pace and carriage of horses.

Cattle, Farm Stock, Poultry and Agricultural Implements, may be exhibited for sample, sale or barter.

An Auctioneer will be in attendance.

Agricultural Societies are solicited to select Stallions for the season.

☞ The Fair will close with a spirited game at

FOOT BALL.

The Fair will open at 10 a.m. and close at 3 p.m.

T. C. WALLBRIDGE.
Super't. Public Fairs.
March 28, 1877. d1aw&wtd

FOR SALE.

A GOOD BUILDING PLOT of Fifteen Acres. Land loomy and adapted for garden purposes, lying on Station Street, Second Concession of Thurlow, a little over a quarter of a mile from the station. For particulars see the owner on the premises.
MRS. DAVID O'KEEF.
Belleville, April 8, 1877. 1md&w

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES!!

CALL AND SEE
OUR NEW STOCK
OF
CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES
JUST RECEIVED,
And will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.
Brown & St. Charles,

WANTED.

A GOOD STEADY MAN, as Gardner and Coachman. Apply to
WILLIAM MINORE,
Furniture Warehouse,
3i Gibbard's Old Stand.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of
WEDNESDAY, 11th INST.,
FOR
Lighting and Furnishing
ALL OF THE STREET LAMPS IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,
BURNING COAL OIL!
for one year from date of contract.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.
SAMUEL HAMBLY,
Chairman of Fire, Water and Gas Com.
Belleville, April 4, 1877. 6i

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,
E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD
Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.
FRESH ORAN ONS TO-DAY

SPRING OPENING
—OF—
MILLINERY
TUESDAY, APR. 10
MUIR & LAWRENCE.

Alma Mills
FLOUR & FEED STORE.
—(o)—
GREAT
REDUCTION!
IN THE PRICE OF
FLOUR & FEED.

The Alma Mills having been Refitted, and all the Latest Improvements in Machinery put in, including
A PURIFIER, &C.,
ARE NOW RUNNING
NIGHT AND DAY,
Therefore I can keep a full supply of FLOUR AND FEED Constantly on Hand.

The Goods are of the Very First Quality,
AND THE PRICES CANNOT BE BEAT.

LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3 30
" PASTRY " " "	3.75
" GRAHAM " " "	3.30
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	3 50
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per "	1.40
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.30
BRAN, " "	.90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	50
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1.20 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.

H. CORBY, JR.
April 9, 1877. d&w1m

SPRING ROOM PAPERS
AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of
ENGLISH ROOM PAPER
Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it AT VERY LOWEST PRICES:
All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.
Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds
An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.
J. C. REYNOLDS.
3 doors West Post Office
Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.
April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.
DR. D. F. BURDETT.
Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,
(de PARIS) the Experienced
Ladies Hair Dresser,
ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER
And Practical Wig Maker
At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.
Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.
PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.
☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.
Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

INSPECT OUR STOCK.

We have received the greater portion of our SPRING STOCK OF
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,
And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.
Goods will be shewn with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.
HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, April 5th, 1877.
N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at our new store, 260 Front St.
A. E. FISH & CO.

TO RENT.

TWO OFFICES in This Building. Rent Five Dollars per month.
Enquire at THIS OFFICE.

TAKE NOTICE!
THAT THE
Balance of the Stock
—OF—
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
AND
WOODENWARE!
Of the Estate of the
LATE JAMES KENNEDY,
WILL BE SOLD
At Whatever can be Got for it,
IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.
IN THE OLD STAND,
Opposite Smith's Tin Store,
BELLEVILLE
JAMES HENNESSY.

GO TO
A. N. PRINGLE'S
FOR
SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING
As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.
REMEMBER that he is
DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.
ALL WORK WARRANTED.
Feb. 14th, 1877, d&w3m

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express,	6.50 a m
No. Express,	6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 10.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—Eight tramps were provided with accommodations at the police station last night.

ENGLISH MAIL.—The English mails per S. S. Sarmatian were distributed at the post office here last evening.

CHEAP JOHN's stock will be sold by auction on Thursday, the 12th inst., by order of the Assignee.

THE FIRST.—The song of the cheerful and vivacious bull-frog was heard in this vicinity for the first time this season last evening.

SCHOOL BOARD.—A regular monthly meeting of the School Board takes place this evening in the Council Chamber at the usual hour.

CRICKET.—All who are are interested in the game of cricket, are requested to meet at Hambly's to-morrow evening. We trust there will be a large attendance.

RECOVERING.—Mr. William Owens, of Picton, who has been suffering from illness, is, we are glad to learn, recuperating, and in a short time will be himself again.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

PERSONAL.—Mayor Foster returned this morning from a business visit to Montreal. He has secured the contract for supplying coal to the G. T. R. in this district, all deliveries of which are to be made here.

FIRE BRIGADE CONCERT.—The concert of the Trenton Fire Brigade takes place this evening. Mr. Keeley of Kingston will render assistance; so also will several prominent amateurs.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as the best, has complied with the popular demand, and reduced from $4 00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

BROKE HIS BACK.—A pig belonging to Mr. Hoggard, of the Anglo, was run over on Front Street yesterday about noon, and his back was broken. The pig was given away by a policeman as no one claimed it, and a knife soon ended its miseries.

ELOPEMENT.—The *Gazette* says:—"An elopement from Picton the week before last, in high life—and almost another last week—are the latest sensations of the hour." Fuller particulars desired in this quarter.

LEGAL.—In Toronto yesterday in the case of Howes v. Howes, Mr. Ewart moved to change the venue from Napanee to Belleville, as there were to be no sittings at the former place. Mr. P. McGregor contra. Order made not to issue till Saturday.

WIDOWS IN PROFUSION.—The Picton *Gazette* says:—"There are eighty two widows in Picton—ranging from fair to middling—and three prime ones! Concerning old maids an estimate has not been made yet." How many old bachelors are there.

CLEANING THE STREETS.—The work of cleaning the streets was begun this morning. A large force of men has been engaged in removing the winter's accumulation of filth. The streets will in consequence present a more level and acceptable appearance than they have yet done this season.

TELEGRAPHING.—The Dominion Telegraph Company will, on and after April 9th, accept messages for transmission to all points on the lines of the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company in the United States east of the Missouri River, including Omaha, Nebraska, Atchison, Kansas, and Leavenworth, Kansas, at a uniform rate of fifty cents.

NARROW ESCAPE.—The dwelling occupied by Messrs. Bell and Blackwell narrowly escaped destruction last evening. About fifteen minutes past six the roof was discovered to be on fire, and the fact having been conveyed to the residents of the vicinity they soon congregated and by their efforts the flames were quickly subdued. The damage is only trifling.

A MISTAKE.—A young lady who resides on Dundas Street informed her father the other evening that she was possessed of lofty aspirations. The old man, not being of a poetical turn, wanted to know "if them ere things were anything like the—stomach-ache?" She became so disgusted that she went up to her bed-room and sat down and wrote a poem entitled "Misunderstood," and then forwarded it to the ONTARIO. We think "Misunderstood" was misdirected, as the ONTARIO office is neither a slaughter house nor a cemetery.

THE REPORTER'S PARADISE.—It must be a glory and a delight to follow the profession of reporter in Deadwood City, Black Hills. Every day there are three or four murders, an occasional suicide and a dozen fist fights. But what troubles us is, why any man out there will commit suicide, when it's so easy to get somebody to do the killing. Sewing societies are not thought of in that town. Oh, no. There is plenty of news without them, and there is no necessity for their existence in that place.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—Harry Lindley's Company played in the Opera House last night to a small house. They appear again this evening in "Buffalo Bill."

KILLED BY THE CARS.—Robert Delormy, of Lansdowne, was run over and killed by the express train which reached Napanee this morning at 1.10. He was under the influence of liquor at the time.

FIRE.—Some miscreant set fire to an unoccupied house on the north side of the G. J. R. track, between Pinnacle and Church Streets, this morning between the hours of three and four o'clock. Fortunately the fire was discovered and put out before any damage was done. The bell at the Town Hall did not ring, and the question is asked, "Why is this?" Policemen are supposed to be on duty the entire night, and it is somewhat singular that none of them were on hand at this time, for the engines were got out, so also were the hose carts: and yet there was no sign of life around the Police Station.

AN INCIDENT.—He pursued a street car going depot-wards as though there would never be another come along. And when he grasped the iron rail he hopped for the rear platform and landed square on a passenger's foot. "Great Jehosaphat and forty million thunderation!" shouted the passenger, "Why don't you look where you're going?" "So I did," was the reply, "but I couldn't tell that your foot was bigger'n the whole platform." "You're an impudent scoundrel and a miserable idiot," said the passenger growing angry. "You're a big footed donkey," answered the man, "and if you'll come off the car I'll knock your infernal stupid head off." "You get off the car and wait for me and see whether I won't kick the stuffing out of you in about two seconds," was the reply. And the man got off and probably he's waiting there yet to have the stuffing kicked out of him, for the passenger hung on by the strap and kept smiling till the car reached the depot.

LOVE LAUGHED AT.—A small party of boys had lots of fun yesterday afternoon, at the expense of one who, for want of a more convenient name, we will call Frank. Frank is a terrible pretty fellow, and thinks every lady he meets is in love with him. Knowing this some of the other boys dropped him a line more than glowing with the affection which trembled through the female hand which expressed it. It was a case of love at first sight by the girl, who was anxious to get sight of her love. He was requested to be at the corner of Bridge and Pinnacle Streets at three o'clock, wearing a white handkerchief, to render mistakes impossible, as the lady had only seen him once and was not familiar with anything but his eyes and face, "those eyes," as the note ran, "those dear, dark eyes, whose look had so much splendor." Frank ought not to have gone, but he went. In fact, he was clean gone from the moment he got that note. He was impatient of the leaden hours which lagged so much behind his expectation. Half an hour before the time, impatience took him to the trysting place with the innocent white flag of truce displayed. Once there, and he waited. The hour struck, but it didn't hurt him; he was too full of expectation to notice it. An hour went, and another; and still he lingered, until all the love and expectation had oozed out of him; and then he left to find that his companions had been watching his proceedings all the time, and were fuller of laughter than he had been of love.

SPRING FASHIONS.

The spring fashions are ready as soon as the weather is prepared to give them a chance. They are waiting in the show rooms and windows of milliners and dress makers, and presently, it is to be hoped, will see the light. Long polonaises and habit basques vie with dresses with scarf draperies. Breton suits of cashmere are to be popular for walking dresses. Among the new styles of parasols the canopy shape is said to be prominent, and evening dresses and carriage dresses are taking upon themselves a brilliancy unknown before. Round hats are retreating before the face hats, and flowers are used in profusion for trimmings. From these and similar overlaces it sometimes looks, as though fashion underwent a change of seasons, like that of nature's. With the coming forth of [illegible] leaves and the opening of the buds, the show windows begin to gleam with as beautiful colors as can be found in the blooming forest or the meadow. The similitude obtains throughout the languid warmth of summer and the rich exuberance of autumn. In winter fashion goes far beyond nature; for instead of wrapping herself up in a shroud of snow and hiding out of sight, she invents and holds up to admiration the warmest and richest of her hues—hues that beat the fancy and nourish the sensuous nature and make us almost thank winter for giving us the opportunity to be so consoled.

JOHN BEVERLY AS A WITNESS.

On the conclusion of Sir John Macdonald's evidence before the Northern Railway Committee yesterday, Hon. John Beverely Robinson was called and sworn. To the astonishment of everybody, and the pain of many, he made a most extraordinary exhibition of himself. His statement with reference to his election in Algoma was substantially different from that given in the House by him. He took the whole matter as a capital joke, and gave his evidence in the gibbest, jauntiest and devil-may care style. He poohed at this and snickered at that, and altogether made high fun of everything that was asked him. When questioned about the $3,700 expended here in 1873, when the Northern Railway Bill was before Parliament, he admitted that he spent half and Mr. Angus Morrison the other half. He said it went for dinners, champagne, luncheons, cabs and all the purposes usual on such occasions, and laughingly declared that they all went in for a devil of a good time. When asked if he paid the bills and what their amount were, he said, "God bless you! what did I care for the bills? we wanted no accounts, we paid whatever we were asked." There is no doubt he, by assuming a rough-and-ready style endeavored to bluff off the efforts of his interrogaters. Messrs. Bowell and Palmer helped him all they could, and the result was that the Committee Room was a scene of incessant amusement. When asked to look at his account, he refused unless a book-keeper was detailed to explain it to him, as he said he "had no taste for such things." One thing is certain, Mr. John Beverly Robinson has fallen to the lowest depths of political degredation. He will be examined again to-morrow. Subpœnas to attend have been sent to Senator Smith, Messrs. J. D. Edgar, Gordon Brown, Angus Morrison and C. J. Campbell.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

A BENEVOLENT LADY.

CONCORD, N. H., April 10.—Mrs. Betsy Whitehouse's will leaves a bequest, said to be $25,000, to the Home Missionary Society of New Hampshire, to aid feeble Congregational Churches.

STRANGE VISITORS.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 10.—A number of large web-footed birds of tropical appearance were picked up in the streets on Sunday, having been blown hither by a strong ocean gale, probably from a distant region.

JAIL DELIVERY FRUSTRATED.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The *Herald's* Atlanta special reports that three negroes incarcerated in Conyers jail made a desperate attempt to hew their way out, until the floor gave way and buried them.

NEW ORLEANS SPECIALS

The *Times* reports a compromise impossible, but the Commission is still hopeful. The Commission is united in the demand for a legislative compromise.

The *Sun* reports every lobbyist interested. The Texas Pacific is working for a compromise. The mass of the people mean to defeat it, and to fight before it shall be imposed upon them.

THE N. Y. CUSTOM HOUSE

The *Tribune* publishes facts concerning the New York Custom House, collected by Bristow, previous to his retirement. They charge Special Deputy Collector Lydecker with serious shortcomings in failing to account for customs collected, and in permitting an English actress, a prominent milliner and others to make heavy importations free of duty.

HELPING RELATIVES.

The *World* says Wm. C. Howells, a near relative of Mrs. Hayes, holds a Quebec consulate worth $2,000 per annum.

THE SPEAKERSHIP.

The *Herald* says the contest for Speaker lies on the Democratic side between Randall and Morrison, and on the Republican between Garfield and Foster.

LEE'S CONFESSION.

The *Sun* says affidavits by one of John D. Lee's guards, filed in the Attorney-General's office deposes that Lee's confession was obtained by Attorney Howard by promises of reprieve, and that as published by Howard important facts implicating Brigham Young were omitted.

IMPORTANT ARRESTS.

Late last night the police arrested five men and one woman, accused of complicity in heavy forgeries on the Union Trust Co., and of other similar crimes.

A CLERICAL SCOUNDREL.

P. T. Valentine, claiming to have been a Roman Catholic Priest and subsequently Methodist; also an Episcopal clergyman, has been arrested for revolting assaults on young girls whom he invited to his apartments to receive musical instruction.

THE PEACH CROP.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The *Time's* letter from the Deleware and Maryland peach regions reports the crop seriously injured by frost but will be larger than last year's.

DEATH FROM FRIGHT.

Physicians declare that Samuel Richardson, who was bitten by a cat, died from fright and not from hydrophobia.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED

BALTIMORE, Md., April 10.—The body of Solomon Costly (colored), who had been missing several days, has been found in the woods near Frederick City pierced with a bullet. His cousin, Edward Costly, is charged with the crime as he fled after Solomon's disappearance.

CHAMBERLAIN RETIRES.

COLUMBIA, S. C. April 10.—The troops moved out of the State House at noon. Chamberlain has just issued an address retiring from the contest.

NEWS FROM SOUTH CAROLINA.

BALTIMORE, April 10.—A special from Columbia says no excitement is manifested over the approaching evacuation of the State House. Hampton's wish that none should go near the building until the questions at issue are finally settled will doubtless be strictly regarded.

EUROPEAN.

THE PROTOCOL.

VIENNA, April 10th.—The Powers are pressing the Porte to reconsider his decision regarding the Protocol. Attempted mediation by Count Andrassy has failed. The Turks offer to send an envoy to St. Petersburg on condition that Russia also sends one to Constantinople.

RUSSIA'S ULTIMATUM.

LONDON, April 10.—Russia has sent an ultimatum to Turkey requiring an answer regarding the adoption of the Protocol by Friday. It is announced that Germany and Austria will not send ambassadors to Constantinople pending the crisis.

A NEW GAME.

THEY WENT OUT TO FIGHT.

[From the Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.]

A man came into a restaurant last night, and mounting a high stool leaned over the counter and ordered a porter-house steak, with eggs on the side, and some ale and oysters to begin on. In about half an hour he had finished his repast, and was beginning to deliberate on what kind of dessert he would wind up on, when a man walked in, and tapping him on the shoulder, remarked:

"Is your name Billy Hicks?"

"Yes, that's my name," said the man on the stool, as the hand stole down to his hip pocket, fumbling for the handle of a barker; "What do you want?"

"We had a little trouble once before in White Pine, and now I guess I've got you dead to rights," continued the new comer, pulling out a large sized six-shooter.

"If you'll just step into the street and pace off your distance I'm your man," said the feeder, who had just finished his pie, and whipping out his revolver he sprang off his perch and rushed after the other into the street.

The frightened restaurant man got down behind the counter and bent his ear to listen to the shots and the rush of the mob, but he didn't hear anything unusual, and in about five minutes he recollected that there was $2 50 owing him on the meal. Then he went out on the sidewalk to investigate.

"Was there a row out here a few minutes ago?" he inquired of a star-gazer on the sidewalk.

"Didn't see any. I've been here for the last half hour or so."

"See two fellows with ulsters and revolvers come out?"

"Yes; they were talkin' about swappin' guns, and they're over the way now takin' a drink."

The restaurant man went back to clear up the dirty dishes and reflect.

This and That.

—A good season for farmers will restore general prosperity.

—To cure dull times—apply an advertisement to the afflicted parts.

—Dealers in wall papers are enjoying a brisk trade at the present.

Overcoats are getting to be uncomfortable, but exceedingly necessary.

Farmers are beginning to look around for the best varieties of seed potatoes.

—Men who advertise liberally offer their patrons the most desirable bargains.

—Bear in mind this is the month in which umbrellas are needed, and don't leave home without one.

—The grass plats and lawns in many favored localities begin to show signs of "Beautiful Spring."

—The condition of the country roads tends to relieve farmer's hen roosts from the depredations of tramps.

—A gifted contributor sends us a poem beginning, "Open the doors to the children. You'd better, if you don't want all the paint kicked off the pannels.

—"We suspect you," was the answer given by an exchange to a "constant reader" who wrote asking who was the author of "Consistency, thou art a Treasure."

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, April 10.

Greenbacks buying at	94½ to 94¾
" selling at	95½ to 95¾
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	184½

Gold opened at 105½; closed at 105⅜.

Montreal Markets.

MONTREAL, April 10.

Flour—Receipts 1540 barrels. Market quiet and firm, business moderately active. Sales, 350 barrels extra at 7 00; 300 strong bakers at 6.75; 100 do at 6.70; 300 spring extra at 6.50; 100 superfine at 6.20; 100 fancy at 6.80; 100 fine at 5.80; 100 Ontario bags at 3.25; 100 American bags at 8.55; 100 Oatmeal at 5.65.

Ashes and provisions unchanged.

Peas—400 bush, U. C, white sold at 92½c. per 66 lbs.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 10, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 10,000. Shipments 2 635. Market active 5 to 10cts. advance; packers and shippers buying light grades; selling 5.15 for mixed heavy to packers; 5.10 to 5.35 for heavy for shipping. Official receipts on yesurday 9,149.

New York Markets.

New York, April 10, 1877.

Gold—105½.

Cotton—Quiet. 11⅜

Flour—5 to 10cts better; receipts, 9,000 barrels; sales, 13,000 barrels.

Rye Flour—Very firm, at $4.50 to $5.00.

Wheat—Unsettled, No. 2 Chicago at $1.57; millers $1.59; choice White Mich. $1·80; receipts, 6,000; sales none.

Rye—Firm.

Corn—Shade firmer; 77,000 bush.; sales 42,000 at, 57, 57½.58½

Barley—Quiet. No. 1 at 93 to 96; 2 rowed at 60 to 65 six do at 65 to 70.

Oats—Firmer. Receipts 22,000 bush; sales 21,000 bush. 41 to 47c for mixed; 49 to 60 for white.

Pork—Dull at 15.00.

Lard—Quiet at 9 80.

Butter—12 to 23c.

Cheese—15 to 30c.

Petroleum—Crude 10⅝c to 11c; refined 16½

As a Standard Remedy in Every Family I pronounce GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA the most valuable and important. No family should be without it.—T. L. RAYMOND, Pres't Produce Bank, N. Y.

"A DROWNING MAN WILL CATCH AT A STRAW.

If he catch it, it will do him no good. Thousands of people, who having neglected colds and coughs until they have become dangerous, will rush to almost every nostrum for relief. This is why so many experiments are tried by the sufferers. Go to your Druggist, buy a bottle of WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, and use it with confidence. It will benefit at once and ultimately cure. It is no straw, it is a cable well-tried; hold on to it and be saved.

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THE VERDICT.

The progress of a valuable invention is like the progress of truth, suspected at first though very beneficial to those who have the courage to try it; abused as its popularity seems to spread, and establishing its triumph at last by carrying happiness into palace and cottage by the resistless efforts of time and its own virtues. Such is the history of Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines. Their signal triumph is proof positive that they have virtues which neither suspicion, abuse, nor time, can invalidate. Dr. Pierce's Memorandum Books given away at all drug-stores.

ELECTRICITY! THOMAS' EXCELSIOR ECLECTRIC OIL!—WORTH TEN TIMES ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years'standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

BEWARE OF IMITATION.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and TAKE NO OTHER. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

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THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have me with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remed and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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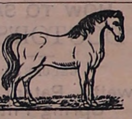

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Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

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THE MAN WHO WEEPS.

BY THE DETROIT FREE PRESS FIEND.

He entered a bakery on Grand River avenue, at eleven o'clock yesterday forenoon. He didn't look like a neat and tidy old man about ready to join the angels, but he resembled an old man who had slept in a barn, and was about ready to join a big dinner.

"I think," he said, as he looked around, "I think I'll take a huckleberry pie."

The woman behind the counter replied she hadn't seen a pie of that sort for six months.

"What is collateral to huckleberry pie?" asked the man, as he looked into the show-case.

She didn't know, and he said he thought pumpkin was, and that he would take a pumpkin pie. She handed one down, and as he took out his knife and cut into it, she said:

"Twenty cents, if you please."

"Change a bill, I s'pose?" he queried, as he took in the twelfth part of the pie at one bite.

"Yes sir."

"Have you any objections to feeling down my boot-leg and pulling up a ten-dollar bill?" he asked, as he cut a second piece.

She said she had, and furthermore hinted that he hadn't seen a ten-dollar bill for the last ten years.

"Oh, yes I have," he pleasantly responded as he cleared his mouth. "I was looking into a broker's window yesterday, and I saw over forty such bills."

There was no more mouthful of pie, and as he swallowed it the women called out:

"Now I want the twenty cents!"

"So do I," was his quiet answer; "but I haven't got it."

"I'll call my husband and have you kicked!" she exclaimed.

"You will call in a young and vigorous man and have him beat and bruise an old man like me, weak in the legs, near gone with consumption, and only barely able to stand up! That crushes what little spirit I had left when I began on that pie!"

He sat down by the stove and began to weep and sob, and, after a moment she said:

"You should have told me that you had no money."

"More abuse—more recrimination—boo-hoo!" he sobbed, shedding tears as large as beans.

"Don't make so much noise," she chided.

"There you go again, heaping more anathemas on these gray hairs! Oh! what a cold, cold world is this—boo-hoo!"

"Never mind the pie—go 'long out doors!"

"I'll leave never this bakery with a stain on my character—never! I have no money, but you shall have my coat! Here—take it!"

He was peeling it off, when she said she didn't want it—that she wanted him to get right out doors.

"I'll never go out till I requite this (boo-hoo) claim—boo-hoo!" he sobbed, and he pulled off his jacket and flung it after the coat.

"Get out, I say—you can have the pie—get out!" she screamed.

"My character (boo-hoo) must be cleared (boo-hoo), and if these are not enough I'll leave my boots! Here, take my poor old boots, and I'll go forth in my bare feet!"

"Stop—stop! I was only in fun with you. I didn't want no twenty cents of you any of the time! Here are some fried-cakes and another pie—take 'em and go out!"

"Have I—boo-hoo—cleared my character?" he asked.

"Yes—yes—you are an honest man."

"Shall I leave you all my clothes?" he inquired as he dropped a susbender off his shoul

"No—no—no!"

"Well, I will go out. I will take along the fried cakes and the custard pie as mementoes of this occasion, and I will go out felling that you appreciate me."

"Yes—I do—I do."

He put on his garments, took up his previsions, and as his tears flowed afresh, he went out, saying:

"Whenever any one wants to break my heart, let 'em call me a dishonest ingrate. Good-by."

SOMETHING QUITE SOFT.

"Why, your hand feels as soft as silk," said I, as I shook hands with the widow.

"Nonsense, doctor," she replied.

"Here with some more of your flattery, are you? My hands are not as soft as your own this minute."

"Why your hand," said I, feels so soft that I'd be afraid to squeeze it, I never felt anything so soft."

"Now doctor, just listen to you again! If you never felt anything as soft as my hand, and even softer, you know it has been your own fault," and I thought the widow blushed as though sorry she had said it

"Pray," said I, becoming deeply interested, "what might I have felt that is softer than your hand?"

"Hush now! you don't know of course. You are very innocent;" and then I could have sworn the widow was blushing.

"Upon my honor I don't know," was my still more interesting reply, wont you tell me, or show me?"

"No, you know I won't tell you."

"Then show me, won't you?"

"I don't like to. But you are such a tease and such a dunce, one must do anything to get rid of you."

"Certainly."

And she took my hand mincingly in her's

"Now shut your eyes, doctor."

I closed my eyes in an instant—she lifted my hand up and up. I held my breath, and, dear reader, before I suspected what she was about, she had placed it gently upon—my head.

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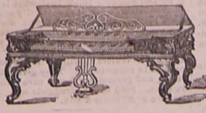

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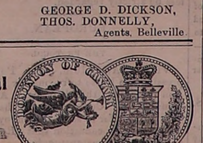

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Dissolution of Partnership
NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Grocers, under the name and style of "Moore & Cox," at Belleville, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John Cox, by whom all claims against the said partnership will be settled.
GEO. W. MOORE
JOHN COX,
Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.
WITNESS—H. PRETTY.

Arrived
THIS DAY.
100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,
CHEAP
—AT—
W. R. M'RAE & CO'S
Wholesale Dealers,

FISH! FISH!!
FRESH HADDOCK.
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,
JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb. 12th, 1877

ANCHOR LINE.
UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS,
Sail every Saturday from
NEW YORK AND GLASGOW (via Londonderry)
AND LONDON DIRECT.
RATES OF PASSAGE payable in U.S. Currency NEW YORK TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, BELFAST, or LONDONDERRY.
Cabins, $65 to $80, according to accommodations.
Excursion Tickets, $120 to $140.
NEW YORK AND LONDON (direct). Cabins $55 to $70. Excursion Tickets, $100 to $120.
STEERAGE always as low as by any other line. The Passenger accommodations of Anchor Steamers are unsurpassed for elegance and comfort. Company's offices, 7 Bowling Green, N Y
Agent, E. W. DAVY, Front St.
Opposite the Market, Belleville.
Oct. 4th, 1876.

EXTRA CHOICE
SUGAR CURED HAMS
BREAKFAST BACON,
SPICED ROLLED BACON,
DRIED BEEF,
JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb 1st, 1877.

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MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE Co.
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(Established 20th Sept., 1854.)
PRESIDENT—LEWIS B. STINSON,
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This Company is established upon strictly Mutual principles, insuring farming property in Townships, and property not more hazardous in Towns and Villages; and offers great advantages to insurers at low rates for THREE YEARS, either on the Premium-Note or Cash System.
S. C. SLOAN,
Agent, Holloway.
July 14, 1874.

E. F. POTTS,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.
E. F. BOTTS has established a Liquor Depot in Bogart's New Block, opposite the us a further supply without delay."
BEWARE OF IMITATION.—Ask for Dr Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and TAKE NO OTHER. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont. Proprietors for the Dominion.
NOTE—Eclectric—Selected and Electrized

HAMBLY'S
CONFECTIONERY,
Established 1850.
IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.
All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered
At Lowest Reasonable Rates.
And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.
A NEW THING.
COCOA-NUT MACAROONS,
A most delicious Confection.
WEDDING CAKES,
CHRISTENING CAKES,
JELLIES, &c., &c.
Turkeys Boned, Dressed and Jellied.
Tongues Jellied and Ornamented.
Hams Cooked and Ornamented.
Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c,
MADE TO ORDER.
BREAD.
A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
PHIL. H. HAMBLY.
April 4, 1877.

CITY BOOK BINDERY.
BOOK BINDING.
BOOK BINDING.
ALL STYLES
—DONE—
Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously
AT THIS OFFICE.
JAMES J. LANDY,
MANAGER.

JAS. BARRETT,
SEWING MACHINE
MANUFACTURER.

ALSO DEALER IN
THE BARRETT PAT.,
SINGER FAMILY,
SINGER MANUF'G,
HOWE MANUF'G,
IRWIN FAMILY,
LAWLER FAMILY,
WHEELER & WILSON
WANZER, &c. &c.
☞ PARTIES desirous of obtaining a FIRST-CLASS SEWING MACHINE should call and examine the above machines before purchasing elsewhere, as all are manufactured of the best material, and are fully tested before leaving the Factory, and GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION. FACTORY AT G. & J. BROWN'S.
ALL KINDS OF STITCHING DONE TO ORDER AT THE OFFICE.
Agents wanted where there is not already an agency, also a good travelling Agent wanted. Repairs promptly attended to.
OFFICE,—Three doors north of Dollar Store, Belleville.
E. BARRETT, Gen. Agt.
Belleville, Aug. 19th, 876.

BAY CITY
MABRLE WORKS,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.
THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has
REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Gondon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,
and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station. Pinnacle Street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

SPECIAL NOTICE.
We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at our new store, 260 Front St.
A. E. FISH & CO.

FRESH FISH!
FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.
R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
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OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co, Detroit.
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

REMOVAL OF BUSINESS.
B. SNUGGS'.
FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square,
Every Kind of Fish in Season,
From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.
Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.
Received this day—SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS
B SNUGGS
Fish and Poultry Dealer,
Market Square,
April 18th, 1876

T. C. TILLINGHAST
Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW
SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,
WORSTED COATINGS,
SPRING OVERCOATINGS,
IN GREAT VARIETY
GIVE ME A CALL.
April 22nd, 1876.

TO RENT.
TWO OFFICES in This Building. Rent Five Dollars per month.
Enquire at THIS OFFICE.

MOVING DAY.

THE AVERAGE EXPERIENCE.

Moving day! The word implies much and has a deep significance to those—and their name is legion—who have been there. Nevertheless, moving day comes around annually, and people will be necessitated to move as often as it comes around.

On the morning of the eventful day *paterfamilias* arises from slumber with that dim consciousness we have all experienced, of an impending evil which finally resolves itself into shape, as he realizes it is moving day. Upon this *paterfamilias* determines to have the job over as soon as possible, and to this end rattles the entire household out of bed in the gray of the morning, with the remark that "no time must be lost," and having thus inaugurated business, he sallies forth for an eye opener to enable him to tackle the work of the day. In anticipation of the flitting most of the household effects have been gathered together on the night previous, and are piled as monuments of the temporal nature of man's abiding place, in the centre of each room. Upon the return of the head of the house, some hurriedly manufactured coffee is quaffed by the family, after which the business of moving is grappled with in earnest. The mistress ties a handkerchief over her head, puts on the old man's gum boots, and with the aid of a mop and the hired girl proceeds to swab the floors, lest peradventure, she should have the reputation of leaving the house in an uncleanly condition, while the old man, assisted by two Irish persons with short pipes, hustles the furniture. The old man has an idea that everything should be done on strictly mechanical principles, and with that view proposes a block and tackle arrangement to lower the furniture from the third-storey windows. This idea is scouted by irish persons, who prefer to carry the articles down stairs by main strength. Their opinion, as being men of large experience, has much weight, but the old man suggests, at least, handspikes. Handspikes also are repudiated by the gentlemen with short pipes, one of them immediately seizes a washstand and promptly falls down stairs with it, a proceeding which occasions the utmost alarm in the establishment, and makes the remaining Irishman extremely solicitious as to the welfare of "Patsey." That gentleman, however, arises from the wreck on the landing below, none the worse, except that his pipe has been nearly crammed down his throat, and that his feelings are injured by the "bastely darkness av the steps." The washstand suffers worst and is reduced to kindling-wood, and Patsey indignantly hurls the fragments down another flight of stairs, and ascends for another load. More caution is observed by Patsey and his partner in the second attempt, and beyond scraping a few pecks of plaster off the walls, and ceilings and knocking the sharp corners off most of the furniture, the goods are safely landed below. During the operation, however, there are divers pauses and consultations, at which a bottle is produced and the two Irish persons and the red-nosed expressman indulge in divers drinks and mutually complimentary remarks. The result is that the expressman grows gloomy and savage and dashes articles into his wagon in a manner that would indicate he bore a personal grudge against the owner thereof; whilst Patsey becomes enamored of the hired-girl, and divides his time equally between offering to shake carpets with her and aiding his coadjutor, who is in a maudlin condition, to upset an occasional bureau. This being the state of affairs, the old man is necessitated to work like a horse himself and by eleven o'clock both his suspenders have snapped in consequence of straining himself on a bookcase, and he hasn't an available button left on his clothes.

When he gets everything at his new house (barring the small articles that have dropped out of the wagon along the route) the other man hasn't got his things out, and there is a row, which promises a fight, much to the delight of the two Irish persons, but ends in a compromise, much to the disgust of the same; and as evening approaches the men with the short pipes and the expressman are paid, and the old man, feeling as if his back was dislocated, retires to rest on three chairs, after eating a cold lunch, while his family slumber any and everywhere.

TEA.

The popular impression that "a cup of tea" is not what it used to be is not unfounded. Apart from the uncertain evidence of the senses in those who can remember then and retain the faculty of appreciation now, there is the fact that, even when the tea-drinker has the happiness to obtain an infusion of leaves from the veritable tea plant in place of the too familiar birch-tops, it is not the best Bohea or special Pekoe he enjoys. Hyson is unknown; Souchong scarcely to be procured. The most aggressive power in Europe has monopolised the entire supply of the more precious varieties of this great commodity. The tea merchants console the public with the reflection that the British economist would not pay for the superior article if he could get it. Seven or eight shillings a pound is the lowest price at which it could be supplied. Perhaps it would be well if some speculative tradesmen would make the experiment of keeping a small quantity on sale. Then, again, we seem to have lost the art of brewing tea. It went out with the family urn and copper tea-kettle of our early memories. The moderns would probably be astonished by the information that tea should be made at the precise moment when the water is about to boil. The instant it can be said to have boiled the opportunity is lost. If we are all to become teetotalers, something must be done to regain for us the cup that cheers, &c., and, to be thoroughly acceptable, we must have it in perfection.—*The Lancet.*

THE SWEET MONTH OF APRIL.

Scribner's Magazine:—April, at the best, is the tenderest of tender salads. Its type is the first spear of grass. The senses—sight, hearing, smell—are as hungry for its delicate and almost spiritual tokens as the cattle are for the first bite of its fields. How it touches one, and makes him both glad and sad! The voices of the arriving birds, the migrating fowls, the clouds of pigeons sweeping across the sky or filling the woods, the elfin horn of the first honey bee venturing abroad in the middle of the day, the clear piping of the little frogs in the marshes at sundown, the camp fire in the sugar bush, the smoke seen afar rising over the trees, the tinge of green that comes so suddenly on the sunny knolls and slopes, the full translucent streams, the waxing and warming sun—how these things and others like them are noted by the eager ear and eye."

Yes, and then you know in this climate as soon as April heaves in view we put out our coal fires, sleep with our chamber windows wide open, pull off our overcoats, throw away mufflers and sail out in linen dusters and patent leather pumps. Oh yes; April is a tender salad. So is the fellow who wrote the above creamy account of her.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 12.

What is expected to be the final meeting of the Secret Service Committee will be held to-day. The division on Mr. Plumb's amending report will be interesting to note.

The amendment offered by Mr. Kirkpatrick on Tuesday was sprung upon the House and intended as a want of confidence motion. The Government, however, was able to meet and defeat it by a majority of 48.

At a meeting of the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, held yesterday, it was ordered, on motion of Mr. Desjardins, that the Speaker be requested to attend a formal meeting of the Committee to-day, when the form of procedure will be determined upon and witnesses summoned.

It is stated that Mr. C. J. Brydges is corresponding with the Grand Trunk authorities with a view to persuading them to carry Nova Scotia coal to the west at very low rates. The best terms he has been able to secure are *half a cent per ton per mile.* At this rate, the freight from Pictou to Toronto (a distance of 1,000 miles) would be $5. Mr. Brydges and his friends are not without hope however, that they will get better [illegible] terms.

We have received the [illegible] report of the Inland Revenue Depar[illegible]ment on the adulteration of food. [illegible] which has lately been published, [illegible] shows that fully 5½ per cent. of f[illegible]ood in general use is adulterated. The [illegible] article most adulterated is milk; pepper comes next, and then coffee. The number of articles analyzed was 108. Of these 93 were adulterated.

Adam Oliver & Co., who happen to be Reformers, owned land in the vicinity of Fort William and had spent a large sum of money in developing the country, years before a Pacific Railway was thought of. The location of the line by the responsible surveyors and engineers made it absolutely necessary that some of the land owned by Messrs. Oliver & Co. must be purchased by the Government for station and other purposes. The *Mail* has made this discovery and now insists that the whole transaction was a "put up job" for the special benefit of Messrs. Oliver & Co., who are "good Reformers."

The Ottawa *Citizen* candidly admits that the late "workingmen's demonstration" was a transparent fraud. It was a hollow piece of the most shameful hypocrisy, manipulated by political demagogues for purely party purposes. The names of many who took an active part in the affair have been published, and instead of their being out of employment and suffering for bread, they actually left work to join the partisan mob that stormed the Parliament Buildings and insulted the Premier. At a public meeting, called by the "malcontents," for the purpose of considering the situation, it was boldly announced that the principal grievance complained of was that "times are too hard" for many of these workingmen to indulge in the favorite beverage (whiskey) as frequently as they were accustomed to.

EDWARD BLAKE.

Almost as regular as the phases of the moon Tory journals devote a certain amount of time and space to the public character of Edward Blake. Their estimation of his abilities is subject to no fixed rule, but varies in accordance with the extent and influence of his opposition to what they have espoused. Sometimes he is the only member of the Reform party that possesses a spark of honesty, and is represented as being disgusted with the company he keeps. Again, he assumes quite a reverse character, and becomes a practiced hypocrite, concealing a studied deception under the calm serenity of an acquired professional demeanor. His masterly exposition of the real object the Opposition aimed to accomplish in making the Anglin attack has once more aroused the indignation of the party oracles, and they find fresh evidence of his decadence as a party man. It is quite possible, however, that Edward Blake will survive their enmity.

THE MAN OF BRAINS.

Mr. Dalton McCarthy, who represents Cardwell in the House of Commons, has been landed by his political friends as furnishing brains for the Opposition. Taking the place of the late John Hillyard Cameron, it was necessary that Mr. McCarthy should be of more than average service to his party in order to meet the expectations of those who looked to him for advice and assistance. His attack upon Mr. Anglin on Monday evening, knowing at the time that a reply from the accused was not to be expected, did not very favorably contrast the present with the late member for Cardwell. Mr. Cameron could be a gentleman, even when most sincere in his party advocacy, and would have scorned such a gross breach of propriety and British fair play. To accuse the Speaker of having knowingly and wilfully entered into a contract with the Government, and with having sat and ruled in the House when he had no right to be there as a member, was unjust and grossly insulting. Mr. Anglin made no bargain with the Government, and had no more forfeited his seat than the member for Cardwell. But this was not the only exhibition of brains by Mr. Dalton McCarthy. He also assailed the Minister of Justice, using the personal style and going so far as to criticise even Mr. Blake's conduct when a member of the Ontario Government. This, too, was done under cover of security from a reply, as Mr. Blake having already spoken could not do so again without an amendment, which was inadmissible. Had the Minister of Justice been at liberty to notice the man of brains, the result of his latest splurge would have been less satisfactory to his admirers than it was.

Editorial Notes.

A man and wife were drowned by going through the ice near Longuial, yesterday.

Petitions against the removal of the Geological Museum from Montreal to Ottawa are being extensively signed.

Five clerks in one store on Yonge street, Toronto, were attacked by scarlet fever last week. One of them has died.

Hon. Mr. Huntington has been confined to his room since Sunday. He is suffering from a bad cold and a sore throat.

There is some talk of starting a religious weekly paper in Montreal, to be modelled after the *Christian World*, with Rev. Alfred J. Bray as editor.

Gidore Perrier, who resided on Kippewa Lake, voluntarily set fire to his house last Sunday and burned himself to death. Strong drink was the cause.

Peter S. Archibald, son of the late Judge Archibald, and brother of the British Consul at New York, dropped dead in the street at Truro, N. S.

An extraordinary shove of ice took place yesterday in the neighborhood of Victoria Bridge, Montreal, which did considerable damage to that structure.

Annie Eastman, "the Cornwall beauty," was yesterday sentenced to three months imprisonment at Montreal, for concealing the birth of her child.

The Custom House block at Clifton was burned yesterday. The fire gained so rapidly that books, furniture, &c., could not be saved.

The tavern keepers of West York have taken preliminary steps to have the constitutionality of the Dunkin Act tested.

The schooner S. J. Collier is loading at the Northern Elevator Toronto, and will start at once for the lower lake ports. The lighthouses at the Queen's Wharf and on the island were illuminated last night for the first time this season.

An absurd rumor was current in Toronto that not only had all officers of the British army at present in Canada received notice to join their regiments, owing to the troubles in the East, but also that the volunteers were in receipt of orders to hold themselves in readiness.

RELICS OF A LOST VESSEL.

A TRUNK AND OTHER ARTICLES SUPPOSED TO BE FROM THE MAGGIE HUNTER FOUND FLOATING IN LAKE ONTARIO.

(From the Oswego "Palladium")

About half-past four o'clock Sunday morning Henry and John Featherstonhaugh started down the lake in a boat after drift wood. On their way back about 7 a. m., between Baldwin's bay and Baldwin's bluff, they discovered an object afloat about one hundred yards off shore. Rowing up they found it to be a wooden chest or trunk covered with canvas which was painted lead color. It was bottom side up, and on righting it the cover was found to be gone, though it was provided with a lock and two strong leather straps. It was lined with yellow paper and inside they found three books with covers gone and about a dozen small wooden beads painted read and blue, and perhaps some other colors. Two of the books are alike, being entitled the "Common School Grammar of the English Language," by Simon Kerl. On the fly leaf of one is written in pencil, the name "Willard H. Laurell," or "Lanrell," and on the fly leaf of the other, also in pencil, "W. H. Laurell," or "Lanrell." The names are plainly legible, being written on inside fly leaves—those covered with other leaves. The third book is a mental arithmetic, with a bit of the black blue cloth hanging to it.

Inside of one of the books was a torn piece of common writing paper with writing on both sides. On one side were the following written with a pencil on successive lines:

"Beat, to strike."
"Bell, a hollow."
"Belle, a gay young."
"Bin, a box."
"Been, existed."
"Birth, act of."
"Berth, a sleeping."

The first line written on the other side is in pencil but over it is written in ink "Mrs. Ann Wallace," which makes it impossible to decipher the pencilled line underneath. The succeeding lines, also in pencilling, are written on as follows: "It as it distinguishes that entire thing or class from everything else." The writing is cramped and that of one unused to it. Below the above statement are the figures "25," "15," and the footing "37."

The Featherstonhaughs brought the trunk and contents home. The books were in a stickey, semi-pulpy sort of state, but they dried them out carefully, after which the leaves opened readily. They are at this office where they may be seen by any persons interested in identifying them. Yesterday some boys out in a boat found the cover of the trunk floating, further down the lake, in the locality known as "Nigger Bay."

The wind was northerly when these things were found, and the theory is that they are relics from the schooner Maggie Hunter, which foundered off this port in October last and was lost with all on board. At that time we could obtain only a partial list of the crew, who were Canadians, and the name of one passenger. Consequently we are unable to determine whether the name written in these books is that of any one who was aboard of that vessel.

FISH BREEDING.

The returns brought down with reference to the Newcastle Fish-breeding Establishment show that Mr. Wilmot, in 1868, leased 10 acres of his entailed property to the Government, for whom the Hon. Peter Mitchell acted. The rent was fixed at $200 per annum, the Government to pay all taxes, imposts, and assessments whatever. During the period between January 1st, 1869 and 31st December, 1876, was spent $1,955 for new buildings, reception house and breeding rooms; $92 for fencing the property enclosed by the department, and $1,376 for constructing reservoirs, supply and nursery ponds, dams, raceways and weirs. The expenditure so far has been $3,823.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Wednesday April 11th.

After the usual routine business had been disposed of Mr. J. B. Robinson made his motion in favor of legislation to empower the Local Legislatures of Ontario and Quebec to provide for the taking of votes under the Dunkin Act by ballot.

Mr. Blake regretted that the question of jurisdiction had not been earlier settled, but pointed out that whatever powers were possessed by either Legislature must be exercised by itself. Whether the Dominion Parliament could or could not pass a measure of the kind suggested, he would not at the moment presume to say, but to delegate the functions of this Parliament to another body was out of the question.

After several members had spoken the motion was withdrawn.

After recess the discussion on Dr. Shultz's motion in favor of Prohibition and Mr. G. W. Ross' amendment was resumed by Dymond.

Mr. Mackenzie said he had held an opinion in favor of prohibition for thirty years, but he had been and still was of opinion that it was idle to pass a law that would not be effective if passed, and although the Dunkin Bill had been carried in his own and other counties, the consumption of liquors and other evidences showed that much had yet to be done before the people were really prepared for such a measure. He adhered to all he had said in the past on the subject.

Sir John A. Macdonald tried to take advantage of Mr. Mackenzie's remarks, asserting that they justified the charge of insincerity made against the Premier by the Conservative press. He could not vote for the amendment, for he had no doubt as to the Dominion having jurisdiction, and disagreed in other respects with its terms.

A division was finally taken and the amendment carried:—Yeas, 104; nays, 59.

Only three Ministerialists voted against the amend, and the same number of Conservatives voted in its favor, a pretty clear proof that the house discovered the purely party political object for which the original motion had been put forward.

The motion as amended was then agreed to.

Some other matters being disposed of, the House adjourned.

STARVING WORKMEN.

The *Citizen* (Tory) has the following item: "On Monday, while bread tickets were being given to the unemployed workingmen, a man was observed by the police crossing the City Hall square with a bag full of something on his back. He quickly went to the rear of the City Hall, laid his load down in a corner, and then made his appearance at the Mayor's office. He was just in the act of accepting the bread tickets when one of the police questioned him about the bag and found that it was full of bread. On being asked what he wanted more for he said he didn't know, but as the Mayor was giving it away he thought he might as well take it if only for fun."

MR. BOWELL.

The Montreal *Witness'* Ottawa correspondence has this:—

"The third measure introduced, because of the recent strike, is a bill to amend the Post Office Act so as to bring railways within the clause providing for the punishment of those obstructing or willfully delaying the mails. Mr. Bowell suggested a case in which the mail had to leave the highway and go into the field because of the roads being blocked with snow, but Mr. Blake after teasing him for a while as a cat would a mouse, finally sat down on him, flatly refusing to make any provision for such a change. Mr. Bowell was very angry at such treatment, and revenged himself for a while by refusing to let measures take more than one stage, the Speaker having to turn to him to see if he assented, as they only go through by unanimous consent. After

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two or three bills, he left the House, but not until he had so far recovered himself as to give way on the last one, after just refusing to do so. It is not astonishing that he should be sat upon, when there is a chance for doing it, by one of the Ministers; for there is no other member who is so persistent in attempts to annoy the Government as a 'whole, and the ministers individually."

—Mr. Hodgins is doing effective work in the Lincoln election case. Last week Mr. Rykert attacked some 26 of Mr. Neelon's votes, but the Registrar held 25 of them good, and the odd one has been reserved.

—Now is the time to disinfect your yards and slop holes. If you want safety against disease, you must fight against the corruption that arise from cess pools and all foul places. Chloride of lime is good. Can be had of druggists.

This and That.

—The Detroit river is filled with floating ice.

—The Newfoundland seal fishery is reported as having been very successful.

—Maple sap is running freely, and the market is well supplied with sugar and syrup.

—A blue glass conservatory will be one of the attractions at the Thousand Island House the coming season.

—Fresh outbreaks of rinderpest have occurred in Shadwell, a suburb of London, and in Oxfordshire.

—The celebrated Big Push case, Regina v. Wilkinson, is set down for hearing at the Cobourg Assizes on Tuesday next.

—The wrestling match last night between McLaughlin and Bauer, at Detroit, was won by McLaughlin.

—Small-pox of a virulent type, has broken out in portions of the townships of Ely and North Stukley. Numerous fatal cases have occurred.

—Since the re-opening of the Lincoln election scrutiny last week 76 Reform votes have been attacked, only one of which was struck off. So far the Reform majority is 25.

—Large daily shipments of wild ducks are still made over the C. S. R. They are shot along the Detroit river and sent to eastern markets.

—A new primrose, which has a yellow centre and maroon leaf edged with white, has appeared in floral shops in New York, and is attracting much notice.

—The first sod of the Hamilton and North Western R. R. in Simcoe was turned there yesterday in the presence of about 500 spectators. Everything passed off well. Present prospects favor the early construction of the road.

NOT A FIT.

OLD SI'S NEW "BRITCHES."

(From the Atlanta, Ga., Constitution)

Old Si went to buy a pair of pants, on Saturday. He was handed a pair of the quality that suited and told to try them on in the ante-room. When he came out he was holding one of the legs up over his shoe, and with the other hand had the waist extended about thirteen inches in front of him.

'Look heah, boss, you'se red de meashermint on dese britches 'rong, sho'!'

'Why is that?'

'Kase dese hyar britches mus bin made fer dat fat dat was heah wid de sirkus!'

'Dont they fit you?'

'Oh, yas, dey fits joss bout like er par ob bedsticks ud fit. Dey ud be mighty ekernomikal in de Summer. Kase I cood button dem roun my neck an use de pockit places for arm holes, but dat ain't de kine ob britch I'se serchin fer!'

'Why you look stout enough to wear that size pants!'

'I'se er pretty stout old nigger, for er fackt. Boss, but ef youse got enny more ob dat size britches in de pile dat you sells outen the niggers, you hez oberstocked de trade, sho!'

'You think so?'

'I knose hit! I'se bin round hyar sence freedom, and I aint seed no nigger in Atlanty dat neah filled dem britches. Times is changed moughtily sence de wah, you mus member, an niggers dont eat three meals er day offen buttermilk, bacon and cowpeas. Dey aint neah so solid as dey wuz when dey totid ole marster's smoke-house keys. Dats why I sez dat fer nigger use dese britches is bout twelve yeahs too ole!'

The next trial got the neatest sort of a fit for the old man.

—The Rev. Rowland Hill described a class of public speakers of his day as "men who had a river of words with only a spoonful of thoughts." —Mr. Hill died in 1833. A good many of these speakes have outlived him.

OPERA HOUSE!

LAST PERFORMANCE.

EVENT of the SEASON

AN UNEXAMPLED BILL.

THIS EVENING

Benefit of Harry Lindley.

VOLUNTEERS.

MR GEO. HANWALL.

CURLETT & BELL, B. PURDY, | S. SINFIELD, B. LOWRY, &c.

TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM.

HARRY LINDLEY in New Comic Songs, "I'm Awfully Sold," &c.

MUSICAL MELANGE and THE TAILORS

Admission 25 and 50 Cents.

Seats secured without extra charge at Harrison's Music Store.

RESERVED

—FOR—

L. F. LANDERS & CO.'S

NEW STEAM LAUNDRY

—AND—

SHIRT FACTORY

294 FRONT STREET.

(Late Neilson's Hall.)

TREES, TREES.

NOW is the time to get out Shade Trees, Soft and Hard Maple. Evergreens of all kinds furnished and set out. I have an experience of twenty years in this business, and can guarantee satisfaction. Orders left at this office will receive prompt attention.

THOMAS JONES.

April 12th, 1877.

D BE SOLD AT COST

hin the Next TEN DAYS

At the store of the Late

H N TEMPLETON

FRONT STREET.

WILLIAM TEMPLETON.

MA.

SUPER

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Call at

REMOVED!

THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

W W Jones' Old Stand

And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

Including everything that can be found in

A First-Class Dry Goods Store.

The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.

A Call Solicited.

N. H. PETERSON.

April 12, 1877.

Ladies' Umbrellas!!

MARVELLOUSLY CHEAP!

Zanilla Umbrellas, only 50c each. Silk in proportion.

LADIES' CORSETS.

Dollar Corsets for 50c each.
$1,50 to $2 Corsets for 75c each.

HOSIERY,

VERY CHEAP INDEED, AT THE

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE

NEW CARPETS

—IN—

BRUSSELS, WOOL,
IMPERIAL, REAL DUTCH
TAPESTY, UNION, &c.

—ALSO—

CURTAINS, in Lace and Rep.

SHEETINGS, TABLE LINENS,
TOWELLINGS, WINDOW HOLLAND
CRUMB CLOTHS, &c., &c.

☞ We invite the attention of our customers to the above goods on account of their present low price.

Geo. Fitchie & Co.,

IMPORTERS.

April 10, 1877.

MECHANICS, ATTENTION!

YOU will find a good assortment of

TOOLS

AT LOWEST PRICES,

AT CHOWN'S.

ALL CLASSES will find a Well Assorted Stock of *Building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, &c,*

AT CHOWN'S.

ALL KINDS OF

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE

Manufactured, and

Roofing, Eave-Troughing, Gas and Water Fitting, Plumbing and Bell Hanging

or any kind of Jobbing, attended to at Shortest notice, and with Reasonable Charges.

Our Motto is, CHEAP FOR CASH,

AT CHOWN'S

STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.

361 Front St.,
Belleville.

FARMERS AND GARDENERS will find a good assortment of TOOLS in their line AT CHOWN'S.

FOR SALE.

A GOOD BUILDING PLOT of Fifteen Acres. Land loomy and adapted for garden purposes, lying on Station Street, Second Concession of Thurlow, a little over a quarter of a mile from the station. For particulars see the owner on the premises.

MRS. DAVID O'KEEF.

Belleville, April 8, 1877. 1md&w

Alma Mills

FLOUR & FEED STORE.

GREAT

REDUCTION!

IN THE PRICE OF

FLOUR & FEED.

The Alma Mills having been Refitted, and all the Latest Improvements in Machinery put in, including

A PURIFIER, &C.,

ARE NOW RUNNING

NIGHT AND DAY,

Therefore I can keep a full supply of FLOUR AND FEED Constantly on Hand.

The Goods are of the Very First Quality.

AND THE PRICES CANNOT BE BEAT.

LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3.30
" PASTRY " " "	3.75
" GRAHAM " " "	3.30
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	3.50
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per "	1.40
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.30
BRAN, " "	90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	50
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1.20 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.

H. CORBY, Jr.

April 9, 1877. d&w1m

SPRING ROOM PAPERS

AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of

ENGLISH ROOM PAPER

Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it AT VERY LOWEST PRICES.

All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.

Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds

An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.

April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. F. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,

(de PARIS) the Experienced

Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

And Practical Wig Maker

At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.

PROF. LAVOIE,

293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.

☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.

Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

INSPECT OUR STOCK.

We have received the greater portion of our SPRING STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,

And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.

Goods will be shewn with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, April 5th, 1877.

N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORAN ONS TODAY

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES!!

CALL AND SEE

OUR NEW STOCK

OF

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES

JUST RECEIVED,

And will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.

Brown & St. Charles.

WANTED.

A GOOD STEADY MAN, as Gardner and Coachman. Apply to

WILLIAM MINORE,
Furniture Warehouse,
Gibbard's Old Stand,

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TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY.

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE.

JAMES HENNESSY.

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877, d&w3m.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ...	6.50 a m
No. Express,..	..6.10 p m
Mixed	9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ...	12.05 p m
No. 3 Express,..	..12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows :—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	..2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 12

LOCAL AND GENERAL

DUCKS.—Ducks are reported to be plentiful in the big bay, but as yet we have not heard of any great shooting exploits having been done in that vicinity.

LEGAL.—In Toronto yesterday, in the case of Cavanagh v. Hastings Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Mr. Osler obtained a summons to set aside a judgment.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

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THE CELLS.—A goodly number of tramps were provided with lodgings in the cells last night, there having been nine of this class registered.

DUST.—A visit from the street sprinkler was very much needed to-day, as the walks were very dusty. If this weather continues its services will soon be required and cannot be dispensed with.

QUOIT PITCHING.—Some of the members of the Belleville Quoit Club had a friendly game this afternoon for the first time this season. We hope the practice will be continued and that eventually a match will be arranged with some foreign club.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as the best, has complied with the popular demand, and reduced from $4 00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

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AMUSEMENTS.—In the list of amusement companies booked to appear here are the Agnes Wallace troupe, Mme. Rentz's Female Minstrels, Sothern, Mrs. Chanfrau, the Gowan Opera House Company, and the Shaughraun.

CELEBRATION.—The Oddfellows of this district purpose celebrating the 55th anniversary of their order by a procession in the afternoon and a literary and musical entertainment in the evening of the 26th inst.

RETURNED.—The schooner Ontario, which left here yesterday with a cargo of brick for Oswego, was obliged to return, an unbroken sheet of ice having been encountered in Big Bay, about two miles east of Massassaga Point.

ENLARGING.—Messrs. W. H. Campbell & Co. have decided to enlarge their storehouse premises by building an addition to the south side of their present building. The timber is now on the ground and men are employed in putting it in shape.

SPRING WORK.—The season proves very favorable for spring work, and farmers are now busy in all directions ploughing and preparing the land for the seed. A large amount of land has been turned over in some of the townships within the last few days.

M. E. CONFERENCE.—The Niagara Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be formally opened in the M. E. Church, St. Thomas, on the morning of the 18th inst. Bishop Carman will open the proceedings with prayer and praise, and will subsequently deliver an address.

OPENING OF NAVIGATION.—Harbor Master Watters informs us that navigation opened last year on the 25th of April, the Norfolk from Picton, and the Rochester from Kingston, having arrived on that day. Chances are that it will open more than a week earlier this season than it did last.

REMINDER.—Our amusement-loving citizens should bear in mind that the bill of fare to be presented at the Opera House to-night is an interesting one. A number of theatrical and variety amateurs have consented to appear, and there is every prospect of there being a pleasant entertainment.

PICTON NOTES.—Masons and carpenters have already begun their labors.—The streets and roads are now in good condition.—The Town Council had a very lively session on Tuesday evening.—Peter Huff of Salmon Point shot 18 ducks last Saturday.

THE BAY.—The *Whig* says:-- The steamer "*Rochester*," which is being very extensively improved at the Portsmouth ship yard, will be ready for service next week, and will then make a start for Belleville. Capt. Campbell, the public will be glad to learn, will again be in command.

KINGSTON ITEMS.—One of the large plate glass windows of Gunn's Pharmacy has been cracked by an atmospheric change.—Prof. Oldham has been installed as musical director at the Military College.—A number of marsh fires have recently taken place.—A meeting will be held to-morrow evening for the purpose of forming a lacrosse club.

NO SIR.—Says the *New Nation* :—"Belleville Council is asking for tenders for furnishing coal oil, etc., to light the streets. Gas is, we presume, to be discarded." No Sir.—Belleville has extended her limits beyond the reach of the gas pipes, and temporary arrangements are made for lighting the suburbs with coal oil.

A TIGHT SQUEEZE.—David Hill, an employee of Mr. Buck, endeavored this morning to free some timbers that had become fast on the rocks, a short distance below the lower bridge. The current at this place is very rapid and Hill in his endeavors to separate the timbers slid between them into the water, and his right leg got badly squeezed. He was released from his situation by some parties who had been standing on the shore, and was taken to a doctor's where his injuries were attended to.

A DENIAL.—Rev. Mr. Forneri requests us to state that the report of his removing to Port Perry is not true.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday afternoon the adjourned case of Bull v. Butler was heard, and the Magistrate announced that he would give his decision on Saturday. There was no business transacted to-day.

NAPANEE ITEMS.—It cost John Baker of Camden $3.05 for attempting to evade the payment of the market fees the other day.—A brass band and a debating club are among the luxuries enjoyed by the people of Napanee.—The cricket and base ball clubs have organized for the season.—It is rumored that the Armenia will call at Napanee during the season of navigation.

MARINE NEWS.—The schooner *Ontario* left yesterday with brick for Kingston for W. A. Foster. The *Utica* is expected to commence her trips on Monday. The schooner *William Elgin* has her crew aboard, and is being painted and fitted out; also Capt. Yott's two schooners, the *O. S. Storrs* and *Hibernia* are being painted and fitted. The bay is clear of ice, and the ferry is making her regular trips. The Trent river is free of ice.

COLBORNE ITEMS.—Mrs. J. B. Cummins, whilst driving to the residence of her son in Colborne on Monday last, was thrown from her buggy and painfully injured, her left arm being fractured close to the shoulder joint.—A number of changes have taken place in the personnel of the officials of the Standard Bank, several of whom have been changed to other offices.—The Dunkin Bill will be forced to a vote in June.—Several young men were recently fined for immoderate driving through the streets.

"**TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM.**"—This play will be produced at the Opera House to-night, when in addition to Lindley's Company a number of the members of the old Amateur Dramatic Company will appear. The play will be put on the stage—so we are assured—in a manner that will leave nothing to be desired, and every attention will be given to make the representation worthy the patronage of the public.

DELIGHTFUL WEATHER.—To-day was a real spring-like day ; indeed it partook more the character of summer than of spring. The sun shone delightfully, the air was balmy, the robins on the trees carolled their pretty notes, and the hyacinths, tulips and other bulbous plants, as well as the daisies, violets and anemones, are beginning to push their heads above ground as if to be participators in the general delight which accompanies the advent of summer.

SHOOT THE APPLE.—A St. Thomas man has eclipsed the Ottawa woman who left her husband because he wouldn't take her to the Opera House. It appears he asked her to assist him to play Wm. Tell and the apple business. She didn't half like the idea, but allowed him to put the apple on her head. While he was preparing to fire she concluded that the experiment was rather risky, and refused to stand still. The husband was so incensed at her disobedience that he forthwith banished her image from his heart and set her adrift. He wants to be divorced.

A NOVELTY.—A. E. Fish & Co. have applied for a patent for a novelty in shirts. The innovation consists in this that, this article of dress opens in the back and is supplied with a collar which is reversible. The firm claims that this shirt will sit better than any other, and the advantages the wearer derives from it, will both in an economical point of view as well as in general appearance, be many. The shirts are neatly gotten up, being well made and neatly furnished, and should be in great demand.

EARLY FISHING.—The *New Nation* says:—Mr. Collier of Salmon Point lays claim to some very early fishing this season, but we are put in possession of the facts of an earlier catch. Messrs. McConnell and Hinnaman of Gull Harbor set ten lbs. of white fish net on the 23rd February, and took it up on the 24th with 103 trout and whitefish. On the 28th February they set 15 lbs. of trout net, and owing to the bad weather were unable to take it up until the 31st March, when they took in 200 lbs. of trout.

A PASSING THOUGHT.—They have been reviving the discussion anent the lost tribes in London, but the *Advertiser* does not think much of the job. It says: 'It is quite possible that these lost tribes are to be sought in the English race; but if so, there cannot be much doubt that they were lost so effectually as not to be found again. And if they were found, we are not aware of any great advantage that would accrue from the discovery. From all accounts they were a stiff-necked, troublesome tribe; and we have so many people of that kind in the present day that we can dispense with the resurrection of any who have been dead for so long time back as the days of Shalmaneser."

A FASHIONABLE PULL-BACK.—The *Daily News* narrates the following:—Last Sunday a good looking young woman, who is learning the mysteries of dressmaking, was on her way to Church, when chancing to look around her she saw approaching a handsome and popular young lawyer. While admiring the judge in embryo the young damsel tripped and measured her length upon the sidewalk, she attempted to get up, but her pull-back was of the latest pattern, and after sprawling around lively for a while she found it impossible to regain an erect position. At this juncture the young lawyer rushed forward and tendered his assistance, which was gratefully accepted and enabled her to get on her feet, but the injury to her feelings was so severe that in place of going to Church she returned home musing on the disadvantages of a fashionable pull-back.

CRICKET.

A meeting for the purpose of organizing the Belleville Cricket Club for the season of 1877 was held at Hambly's last evening, when the following business was transacted:—

Moved by R. Benjamin, seconded by H. Smart, that A. Robertson be President. Carried.

Moved by J. Reeves, seconded by Wm. Thomas, that Morgan Jellett be 1st Vice-President. Carried.

Moved by R. Benjamin, seconded by S. Savage, that Thomas Holden be 2nd Vice-President. Carried.

Moved by H. Smart, seconded by S. Savage, that R. Benjamin be Treasurer. Carried.

Moved by J. Reeves, seconded by Wm. Thomas, that H. Smart be Secretary. Carried.

Moved by H. Smart, seconded by Wm. Thomas, that J. Clark be Captain for the year. Carried.

Moved by J. Clark, seconded by R. Benjamin, that Messrs. Savage, Thomas Lester, Garrett and Maybe be the Managing Committee. Carried.

Moved by R. Benjamin, seconded by J. Clark, that the following gentlemen become Honary Members:

Wm. Mills, E. R Benjamin, C. J. Starling, J. P. Reeves, R. S. Sewell, W. Kirchoffer, Rev. T. D. Phillips, D. Shaw, E. Burton, Geo. Hall, Wm. Peadon, Capt. Clarin, S. Carman P. H. Hambly.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

FREIGHT RATES.

THE ST. LOUIS FIRE.

THE LOUISIANA DIFFICULTY.

Washington Specials.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHICAGO, April 12.—It is reported that managers of trunk lines and large vessel owners are conferring in regard to freight rates. If an arrangement is effected, a difference of 5 cents per cwt. between vessels and railroads will be maintained.

SEDALIA, Mo. April 12.—The Union Depot has been burned. Antoine Beem, a cook, perished in the flames.

NEW YORK, April 12—The *Times'* St. Louis special says the firemen yesterday found $17,000 worth of jewelry left in a room of the Southern Hotel by Mrs. Gen. Simpson.

The *Herald* says the fire department was dazed and inefficient.

New Orleans specials to the *Tribune* report one more colored member gone over from the Packard to the Nicholls Legislature. Only five more are needed. The color line is breaking.

The *Times* says it is generally conceded the Commission will be unable to effect any compromise. The difficulty will probably settle itself within 10 days by desertions from the Packard house.

The *World* says the Japanese Government wants a new commercial treaty with the U. S., to secure a higher duty on imports to Japan. In return, all Japanese ports are to be opened to the U. S.

The President is represented to be indignant over the tone of Chamberlain's letter.

Evidence of a coming revolt in the Republican party multiply.

The *Sun* says the Indian Commission favors an appropriate recognition of Spotted Tail's services in bringing in the hostiles and averting a costly war.

The *Tribune* says the friends of the President are gratified over the large Republican gains in recent elections in western cities.

The President recently expressed the opinion that whenever German and Irish voters act in harmony and against the Republican party, it is almost invariably the fault of the party managers.

Burglars chloroformed the family of Geo. Schneider, embracing eight persons, in West Hoboken early yesterday a. m., and stole $900 worth of property.

The *Tribune* reports a belief among brokers that the rumor concerning a an application in behalf of the Del. and Hudson Co. for the appointment of a receiver is substantially true.

D. L. C. Thomas has sued for a divorce and the attorney for Mrs. Thomas having withdrawn from the case the lady was directed to obtain new counsel. She failed to obey, alleging that Edward S. Stokes had advised her to make the Dr, give her $500 before appointing a new attorney. Mrs. Thomas declared also that "Edward will shoot anybody who interferes with him and me." Judge Lawrence has ordered the examination to continue with or without counsel.

Arrived S. S. "State of Indiana" from Glasgow, and "Suevia," from Hamburg.

Mrs Mary Fielding, of Astornia, while standing upon a bed-post whitewashing, last Tuesday fell, the post penetrating her abdomen. She died yesterday in great agony.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Russian Troops for the Frontier.

THE PORTE FAVORS DISARMAMENT.

MORE ABOUT THE ST. LOUIS FIRE.

Shipwreck and Loss of Life.

POMEROY, Ohio, April. 12-The fire which originated in Gryer & Son's wine room last night spread in the main business portion of the town, burning 25 business houses, offices and residences. The Fair St. (First) National Bank is the only building remaining on the west side of Court St. Loss $100,000.

MANCHESTER, April 12.—A despatch from Pera yesterday says the Porte's circular to the Powers expresses a desire for disarmament, and announcement that the Ottoman embassy at St. Petersburg made vacant by death will be immediately filled. The tone is much more conciliatory than was expected.

A fire at Stamboul on Tuesday destroyed between 300 and 500 houses.

ST. LOUIS, April 12.—The engines have been withdrawn from the ruins preparatory to a thorough search for bodies. It is apprehended that several of the female domestics of the house are buried beneath the debris, as a number have not reported. It now seems quite probable that H. J. Clark, wife and child were among the killed. Mrs. Scott, who was reported dead yesterday, was still alive at a late hour last night, but there is no hope of her recovery. Kate Claxton lost everything, and is suffering from nervous prostration, Miss Frankie McClellan is in a very critical condition. She jumped from the 4th storey to a roof of a one storey saloon.

BALTIMORE, April 12.—A schooner from Philadelphia reported ashore on Point "No Point," is the John C. McShare. James Andrews, Captain; Robert Ostrop, mate and a colored man from Washington were drowned. The steward swam ashore.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 12.—The Bank of Avon has suspended. It was owned by George W. Swan.

LONDON, April 12.—A despatch from St. Petersburgh says the Russian Government has commenced marching troops to the frontier.

PATTERSON, N. J., April 12.—Hamilton Mill dyehouse was burned this morning. The burning chemicals ran over the ground and fired the main building, which was also destroyed. It was one of the principal woollen shawl mills in the country. Loss, $100,000.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

—Signs of summer begin to show up in dead earnest. Sidewalk repairing has begun.

—Your father was poor but honest. Try to be richer than he, but be equally honest.

—Blue glass worn in the crown of the hat is said to develop brains in the head beneath.

Detroit *Fee Press*; The Welsh language contains only 80,000 words, but after you have tried to pronounce four or five of the easiest and shortest you will wonder how a Welshman ever keeps his feet while talking.

—The fashion journals solemnly announce the some what startling fact that black moustaches will only be fashionable for policemen during the coming summer.

Married.

On the 10th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Mr. Burton, NELLIE, eldest daughter of Mr. JAMES HOGG, to SYDNEY SMITH MOORE, all of Belleville. No cards.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, April 12.

Greenbacks buying at...	94
" selling at......................................	95
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver..........................	15
Sterling exchange	184½

Gold opened at 105¾ ; closed at 106.

Montreal Markets.

MONTREAL, April 12.

Flour--Receipts 1,500 barrels. Market quiet and firm, business moderately active. Sales, 100 barrels spring extra at 6 67½ ; 100 ditto at 6.65; 600 bags at 3.30 ; 50 superior extra at 7.50; 150 fine at 6.00; 70 Patent at 9.25.

Ashes and provisions unchanged.

Peas—400 bush, U. C, white sold at 92½c. per 66 lbs.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 12, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 14,000. Shipments 5.680. Market active 5 to 10cts. advance ; packers and shippers buying light grades; selling 5.15 for mixed heavy to packers ; 5.10 to 5.70 for common shipping. Official receipts on yesurday 13,073.

New York Markets.

New York, April 12, 1877.

Gold—106.

Cotton—Quiet, 11¾

Flour—Less active lower ; receipts, 6,000 barrels ; sales, 12,000 barrels.

Rye Flour—Very firm, at $4 50 to $5.20.

Wheat—Dull at $1.58 to $1.60. Receipts, 15,000 ; sales none.

Rye—Firm.

Corn—Firmer. Rects 97,000 bush, ; sales 136,000 bush. at 57½ to 59c, and 58 to 60c.

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Lard—Quiet at 9 80.

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If he catch it, it will do him no good. Thousands of people, who having neglected colds and coughs until they have become dangerous, will rush to almost every nostrum for relief. This is why so many experiments are tried by the sufferers. Go to your Druggist, buy a bottle of WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, and use it with confidence. It will benefit at once and ultimately cure. It is no straw, it is a cable well-tried ; hold on to it and be saved.

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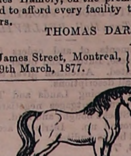

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BY ORDER OF THE ASSIGNEE.

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NATURAL HISTORY.

COWARDS IN DANGER.—When overpowered by numbers, the wolf becomes cowed and dies meekly. But woe to the luckless cur that meets him alone in the forest, unless of a size to inspire respect, or of strength to exact it. The wolf takes kindly to dog's flesh, notwithstanding the dog's horror of wolf flesh; and when, rendered bold by his hunger, the wolf approaches the village, his lure is not so much the farm stock, which he knows to be well guarded, as the stray cur he expects to find at large and unprotected. In some parts of Europe scarcely a winter passes without a visit from the wolves, and the smaller dogs are nearly always the first victims. Sweeping through the village at dusk or daybreak, they snap up and bear off, without stopping, some howling mongrel unable to get out of their way in time.

A HAWK AMONG HENS.—Gilbert White tells a most dramatic story of a neighbor who had lost most of his chickens by a sparrow-hawk that came gliding down between a faggot pile and the end of his house to the place where his coops stood. The owner, vexed to see his flock diminishing, hung a net between the pile and the house, into which the bird dashed and was entangled. The gentleman's resentment suggested a fit of retaliation; he therefore clipped the hawk's wings, cut off his talons, and fixing, a cork on his bill, threw him down among the brood hens. "Imagination," says Mr. White, "cannot paint the scene that ensued; the expressions that fear, rage and revenge inspired were new, or at least such as had been unnoticed before; the exasperated matrons upbraided, they execrated, they insulted, they triumphed. In a word, they never desisted from buffeting their adversary till they had torn him in a hundred pieces."—*Scribner for February.*

A SENSIBLE DOG.—Here is an anecdote with a sharp moral, that comes to us all the way from Australia: "Sixty years ago when I was a teacher in Kilmalcum parish," says John Fraser, "I was using whiskey bitters for my stomach's sake. One day I dipped a piece of cake in it and gave it to the dog. He grudgingly ate it, curling up his lips to avoid the taste. Ere long he became tipsy; he howled most piteously, and unnaturally looked up in my face as if for help. He began to stagger and fall like a drunken man. The appearance of his face and eyes was extraordinary. He lay on the floor and howled until the effects of the liquor wore off. The dog never forgot the trick. Whenever afterward I went to the press for the bottle he hastened to the outside of the house. One day the door being shut, he sprang at one bolt through a pane of glass to get outside. So much for the wisdom of the dog, infinitely surpassing that of foolish drinking men."

REDUCING HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES.

"R. S. V. P.," writing to an American paper on the reduction of household expenses, suggests that it is not ordinarily worth while to buy ahead; that, where Irish servants are employed, "provision is profusion," and then asks:—What quantities of food per head should be used in a family where strict economy is practiced? How much butter sugar, tea, coffee, milk, bread, meat, etc., is a fair proportion per week? I think many young housekeepers will also be glad to know how much starch is required for a given number of shirts and skirts; how much soap for a family of say six persons. I will open the discussion by giving the quantities I consider fair and yet as economical as possible. We are four in family, two ladies and two gentlemen, with two servants and the cook's little girl. We use four pounds of butter a week; two loaves of bread, with hominy, oatmeal or mush daily; one quart of milk for coffee and tea, extra for cakes, dessert, or muffins; one half-pound of beefsteak per head is a fair allowance; of veal cutlet the same; while of roasts you must allow three-quarters per head. One pound of coffee used for breakfast upstairs, made strong, lasts ten days, and three-quarters of a pound of tea for breakfast, lunch and tea is also sufficient. A barrel of potatoes lasts the same family one month. Coal, wood and gas are much harder to regulate, owing to the wastage by servants; but one cord of wood has lit three fires during five months, and twelve tons of coal have been used for three fires, and a heater during severe days. It is a good practice for a young housekeeper desiring to live as cheaply as possible, to keep a monthly account in a separate book of all expenses appertaining to the house, and she will find great help in comparing the different months together.

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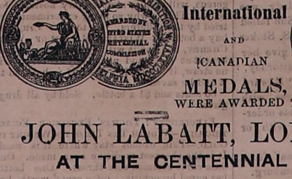

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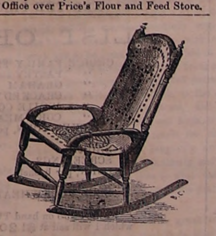

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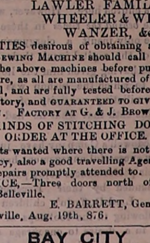

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SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
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R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
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R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
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Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
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Feb. 2nd, 1877.

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FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer" Office, Market Square.
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Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.
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April 18th, 1876

T. C. TILLINGHAST
Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW
SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,
WORSTED COATINGS,
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IN GREAT VARIETY
GIVE ME A CALL.
April 22nd, 1876.

TO RENT.
TWO OFFICES in This Building. Rent Five Dollars per month.
Enquire at THIS OFFICE.

PROSPECT OF THE SEASON.

A correspondent sends us the following: From present indications the future appears very favorable for the farming community. Wheat is, no doubt, our staple and therefore we will spreak of that in particular. One year ago the warehouses of the world were filled with an immense stock and the market was flooded. A combination of causes has brought good prices and rates are expected to still further advance. All will remember the price of wheat during the Crimean war, when $2 and $2 50 were obtained. The reason for this was that Russia, the great granery from which England bought the most of her supply, needed her crop to feed her army. The same causes are now at work, for last fall, when her grain should have been sown, Russia mustered all available men into the army corps, and sent them to the front to watch Turkey, so that only a partial crop was put in, and war or no war, Russia will have none to sell. Indeed, a proclamation was issued two months ago forbidding the exportation of grain from the Baltic and Black sea ports, and wheat has steadily risen in value ever since. With the poor crops of last season stocks have run down, until there is not above half the amount on hand at the great grain centres that there was at this time last year. The surplus wheat of Australia and California, the only countries where a good yield was obtained, is being used to feed the starving in India, where several millions of people are being fed by the Government, in whole or in part. The great storms of the past four months in England are estimated to have destroyed over half the grain sown, so that next harvest is looked forward to with dismay. Taking all these things into consideration, together with the fact that the snow lying on the ground so late this Spring, is the best possible assurance of a good crop. I think Canadian farmers can look forward with hope for the results of their labors this year. Thus the poor harvest of last season, together with the other causes which have helped to clear away the glut in the market, may have been a blessing in disguise.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS IN PRISON.

(From the Hartford Courant.)

Here is a little story. Twenty-two years ago a young man in New Haven was engaged to marry a young woman there. For some reason she transferred her promise to marry, if not her affections, to another person. The first suitor, who was a respectable mechanic, disapproved of the match, and declared that his rival was a disreputable person who would lead his affianced a wretched life, and that while he could surrender her himself, he would rather she would die than marry that man. Accordingly, and, as he said, solely to save her from the awful fate of such a degrading marriage, he killed the girl. He did not attempt to conceal the deed; he justified it, and regarded himself as the savior of the girl's happiness. He was tried for murder, and acquitted on the ground of insanity, although he stoutly denied that he was insane, and said that he had acted upon his cool conviction of what was best for the girl, and was ready to suffer the penalties of the law for the homicide. Acquitted, he was remanded to the county gaol by the Court. He remained there seven or eight years, all the time protesting that he was in his right mind, and that the State should either hang him for murder or release him. He was then transferred to the State Prison at Wethersfield,—by what authority it does not appear, under no sentence. There he remained until this day, in the same state of mind, apparently rational on all subjects, except that he insists that he had a right to kill the girl to save her from dishonor, and that if the State thought otherwise it should have punished him as a murderer. This is the story of Willard Clarke, who has now petitioned the Assembly to remove him from the State Prison to the insane asylum at Middletown. If he is insane, that is where he belongs. If he is sane, he has a right to his liberty, having been once acquitted on trial for his life. So far as it appears, he has now been in gaol a quarter of a century without authority of law; for if there is anywhere existing a legal commitment of Clarke as a lunatic, the State Prison is not a legal place for the confinement of lunatics who have not been convicted of crime. It is time that the Assembly relieved the State of the disgrace of such slipshod proceedings.

AN ONION VENTURE.

We know a gentleman in one of the many thriving villages of Ontario who, having purchased a couple of building lots, each a fifth of an acre in extent, resolved to sow one of them to onions, by way of experiment. He grew thereon about 100 bushels, the soil and season being favorable. Twenty bushels were sold at $1 a bushels. He was offered 50 cents for his whole crop. Believing he could do better, he concluded to store them. Unfortunately the cellar in which he put them became flooded with water, and a large proportion of the onions were lost. But had he accepted the low offer made for his crop he would have got a profitable return for seed and labor. We mention this case to suggest to mechanics and others the policy of investing their savings in a bit of land, and then cultivating it thoroughly. By this course quite a proportion of the cost of a lot or lots can be obtained from the land itself, while, in all prosperous places, there is a steady advance in the value of property, itself, in the end, a source of profit. The productive capacity of a small piece of ground is one of the things we do not properly understand and realize, from the fact that we are accustomed in this new country only to expect results of much account from large areas. An Irish cottager or a Dutch peasant would consider himself a farmer on a piece of land we should think only fit for a calf pasture or a chicken run. Better culture will in time correct mistakes that have grown up from the practice of skimming over large surfaces and getting in return meagre crops.

FOR THE LADIES.

Chenille trimming is now in vogue.

Silver buttons are used on light woollen dresses.

Vulcan red and mandarin yellow are the two leading colors.

Black cashmere wraps are neat and lady-like, though not dressy.

Ladies who prefer light shoes wear side lace gaters made of kid and serge.

Egyptian cloth, with raised arabesques and palm leaves, is used for dolmas.

Rows of buttons, lapped as if strung on a thread, are used on all kinds of dresses.

The increased use of the sewing machine is noticeable on the handsome Paris dresses.

The Manchester Bulgarian Relief fund amounts to £7,865.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 13.

THE "Big Push" libel suit will be tried at Cobourg, on the 17th inst., by Judge Burton. Mr. McCarthy will appear for Wilkinson.

SIR JOHN'S motion about a new writ for Lincoln cannot now be reached until next Wednesday. It is probable that other tactics may be resorted to in the meantime.

HON. J. G. CURRIE and Mr. Irwin are looking into Mr. Norr's' case. It is stated on the authority of the former that there is no ground on which a suit for damages can be instituted, and it is believed no successful attack can be made on his seat.

THE best proof we need that Mr. Blake's Act for carrying out of extradition treaties by Canada is of the right stamp, is furnished by the fact that criminals are already in dread. Sir John Macdonald has stated in the House that some one in Toronto had written to him, signing only his initials, assuring him that he would be handsomely rewarded if he would induce the Minister of Justice to so frame the measure that it would not have a retroactive effect. Mr. Blake has no intention of moving to meet the wishes of this or any other anonymous criminal.

MR. PLUMB'S minority report, *anent* the Secret Service investigation, was up for consideration in the Public Accounts Committee yesterday. The whole tenor of Mr. Charlton's report was changed, and a clear defence of Sir John substituted. It concluded by declaring that there is nothing in the evidence before the Committee to justify the Government in attempting to recover by law the sum of $6,600, alleged to have been retained by Sir John Macdonald out of the unexpended balance. Mr. Charlton attacked Mr. Plumb's report with great severity, and argued that his own had but one fault, which was that it did not go far enough, or half-as far as the facts warranted. The amendment was put and lost by 13 yeas to 35 nays, and Mr. Charlton's report declared carried on the same division.

WAR IN EUROPE.

Judging from the latest telegrams there is now little hope of a peaceful solution of the Eastern Question. The Porte has rejected the Protocol, and will not submit to foreign interference. Russia, too, has made demands and given pledges from which she cannot honorabl recede. The significant announcement is made that during the coming week Europe will have clear proof of Russia's determination to attain the end for which her troops have been concentrated on the frontier. The course pursued by the two powers is utterly irreconcilable. A conflict, under present circumstances, seems unavoidable. England has formally announced her neutrality and warned Turkey that no aid can be expected from her. Active preparations for war are going on all along the Danuban frontier, and both powers will make a simultaneous forward movement.

PROHIBITION.

Dr. Shultz has acted his part in the temperance farce. His motion in favor of Prohibition, to which we have referred, was the merest clap-trap, and intended for political purposes. He was only the cat's-paw used by the Opposition to pull the nuts from the fire. Without ever having professed temperance principles himself, it illy became him to assume the *role* of a champion for such legislation as would ensure a prohibitory liquor law. The debate that terminated on Wednesday clearly demonstrated the fact that while a large majority of those supporting the Government are favorable to temperance legislation, they do not believe in the new-found zeal of the Opposition. They regarded Dr. Shultz's motion as being dishonest and representing a political principle. The Premier once more avowed his sympathy with whatever would tend to lessen the evil effects of intemperance, but will not take the responsibility of passing a prohibitory law in advance of the opinion of the people. It was left for Mr. Appleby, however, to bring the question to a focus, and drive Sir John, as the virtual leader of the present movement, into a close corner. He announced his willingness to support any Government that would pass a prohibitory liquor law, and called upon the member for Kingston to state then and there if he (Sir John) would favor such legislation did he return to office. If so, he (Mr. Appleby) would be most happy to give the right honorable gentleman all the help in his power. Though repeatedly asked to "speak now," Sir John retained his seat, and "mum was the word." After this, what the Conservative party intend to do with the temperance question at the next general election will have less significance.

AN attempt was recently made in Hochelaga to save life by transfusion of blood, but signally failed.

FORWARDING Companies, located at Montreal, anticipate a large movement of grain from the West, owing to an advance that has occurred in England on the price of wheat.

THE INDEPENDENCE OF PARLIAMENT.

It was manifest from the beginning that the Opposition did not expect any other issue on the Anglin case than was reached last Monday. The amendment offered by Mr. Bowell was so framed as to force the Government to resent it as a direct want of confidence motion. This was not only anticipated, but actually courted. Already we hear warnings from the organs of a coming day of reckoning, when those who voted against the motion will be judged by public opinion. The intention evidently is to make the question do good service during the ensuing general elections. The plea will be put forward that the independence of Parliament was violated by both the Speaker and Mr. Norris, and that in refusing to censure these acts the Government has expressed a determination to sustain those who defy the law. It will not require the use of much argument, however, to show how little truth and force such a plea represents. The rejection of the motion did not imply that protection would be given to any member of the House who has broken the law. It was because a principle involved in the proposed censure conflicted seriously with justice and fair play. The object sought was to condemn the Speaker unheard. He was to be judged guilty of having knowingly and purposely violated the Independence of Parliament Act, and suffer condemnation without offering a word of explanation. The Government has sent the case to the Privileges and Elections Committee, where a full and free investigation may be had, and where the accused may appear to give evidence. Mr. Anglin is not at all frightened. He is one of the ablest and most learned parliamentarians in the House, and quite equal to the task expected of him.

Editorial Notes.

THE Welland Canal will be opened on Tuesday, 17th inst.

REPORTED that a train on the Air Line went through a bridge near Cayuga Wednesday night.

HANLON is now practicing in his new boat, built for him by Wharin, of Toronto.

SMALL POX is making terrible havoc in Weston, near Toronto. It is also prevalent in Etabicoke.

THE water is rapidly rising in the river at Montreal, and begins to interwith the canal works.

THE new Windsor hotel Company, Montreal, are suing shareholders who refuse to paycalls.

THE dwelling of Mr. M. O'Donovan, of Whitby, was discovered on fire last Wednesday morning and was totally consumed with contents.

POLICE MAGISTRATE MacNabb, of Toronto, is at once to be suspended, pending on investigation into his general proceedings.

THE steamer Chicora is to be brought down from the upper lakes and placed on the route between Toronto, Niagara and Lewiston.

THE close season for bass is from the 15th of this month till the 15th of June, and for trout from the 15th of September till the 1st of January.

MAINE farmers are passing through Canada to Michigan to try and better their position in life. They say they have more grievances to contend with than Canadian farmers and are more oppressed by the hard times.

NEW OTTAWAVES.

Correspondence of the ONTARIO.]

"But two short weeks ago the trees were bare
And winds were keen, and violets pinched with frost;
Winter was with us;—but to-day the Spring is in the air:
Sweet sun-gleams come and go upon the hills:
In lanes the wild-flowers blow, and tender leaves
Are bursting every where."

Winter has *finally* departed, leaving with us not one vestige of his former power,—not even an icicle as a souvenir. Easter, this year, seems to have been the boundary line between the two seasons, for while, until that day, everything was wrapped in the dull lifelessness of winter itself, on Easter morning a new pulse seemed to throb throughout the land—the sun shone forth, our glowing Easter Candle, and all nature burst into life again, in joyful celebration of the glorious Resurrection;—even the little streams, loosed from their icy bonds, rejoice that winter's work is done, and "talk of to-morrow's violets as they run;" and the lovely Rideau Falls, which in winter are held in *silent bondage*, show us now, as they rush on in their *noisy release* how the floods can clap their hands and make a joyful noise.

Although *we* feel that we are—not only in the calendar but in reality—in the midst of Spring, those who know more about the vagaries of an Ottawa climate than we do, shake their heads ominously, call it a delusion, and predict some wintery blasts yet;—and, indeed, their warnings seem to borrow some weight from the *significant* fact that the usual crop of "Spring Poetry" has not yet *begun* to make its appearance. We are told that long experience has made the poets in these parts shrewd fellows, and that they do not begin to Hail! until some time in May.—By the way, why should Spring always be called "gentle" when she is usually such a termagant?

If the Parliament Hill, with its glorious coronet of Buildings, was a beautiful picture in its white winter robe, it is now a *more* beautiful *living* picture—transfigured, as it were, by a breathing soul infused into its former self. One cannot gaze upon it too long or too often; it is a constant, varied feast—varied most wonderfully when viewed from different points, and melting into a panorama of exquisite dissolving views when seen in passing,—the library coming first in sight, and standing out the crowning glory, the head, the brains, so to speak, of the perfect whole. Although our resorts in other lands have been neither few nor poor in beauty, nor has our observation been dull or negligent, still we return year after year with renewed pleasure to this scene, and find it ever fairly more lovely than before.

We have had the pleasure this week of visiting, *under peculiarly fortunate circumstances*, the Model Room of the Western Block.—It is the Patent Office of the Dominion, a spot comparatively little known and visited, and yet so full of interest, for in it are deposited models of every invention patented in Canada;—there are blast furnaces in miniature, and agricultural implements in the same dimensions;—household furniture, firemen's armor and firearms, forming a Liliputian collection wonderful to behold.—So *sudden* has been the revelation to the world of the marvelous telephone, an instrument which we thought was, as yet, *to be read about* by the multitude, *but to be seen* only by the favored few, that we were surprised and delighted beyond words to find ourselves in the *august presence* of *working* models of three different varieties of this marvel of the Age:—we were also shown another advance in this branch of invention, an instrument by means of which *four* messages may be sent over *one* wire *at the same time*. Nor has the busy housewife of the poorer classes been neglected by the inventors of our country, and their efforts to lighten her toil have produced some such curious results as a rocking chair and cradle so combined that a mother may sit at her work and rock her baby by simply rocking herself, and a churn, arranged so that the motion of the dasher gently rocks a cradle. This collection contains a *revolving* rifle which interested us greatly as we had never seen anything of the kind before.

Adjoining the Model Room was an apartment containing a relic of the great Centennial, in the classified bottles of Canadian cereals, and another Centennial relic is to be found under a little rough shed near the Centre Building; being a collection of some of the *huge* blocks and disks of wood—sections of the largest Canadian trees—which were *piled up* at the Piladelphia Exhibition so as to form a two-storey house, stairs and all, and called "A Canadian Log Cabin." We saw large numbers of Turks, Egyptians, Japanese &c visiting it with eager curiosity, and overheard one of them asking, in broken English, if the Canadians all lived in houses like that.

In the preceding paragraph we have gone rather rapidly and abruptly from Ottawa to Philadelphia and must now return with equal speed to our *moutons* at the Capital; and *this* brings us to the country's representatives in parliament assembled. We have just passed through another week of violent personal encounter, Mr. Anglin, the victim having undergone the trying ordeal of listening to most unqualified abuse, and being forbidden by virtue of his office, to say a single word in his own defence. Imagine such language as this addressed to the Speaker in the chair. "Twelve thousand dollars for stationery, Sir!—Why, my dear Sir, what can you have done with so much stationery?—Have you stuffed your beds with it?—Have you made your children's christening robes of it?—Have you papered your walls with it?"—We give this only as a specimen of the spirit which seems to animate the discussions of the present session; but, after all, there are few winds which blow nobody any good, and whenever one of these rows is on the *tapis* it is a perfect gala-day for Ottawa; then, indeed, the beauty and fashion of the city fairly throng the galleries filling them so full that many prominent society men are obliged to frescoe the side walls as gracefully as they can while this brilliant assemblage awaits the result with breathless interest, patiently, eagerly, into the *wee sma' hours*.

Speaking of *rows* brings us to vestry meetings,—and we might almost fancy ourselves in dear old Belleville again, as far as these are concerned, for they have had *such a splendid row* at one held in St. John's church here. However, we are just a little *behind the times* in these matters, for we only insult a clergyman, whereas they of the capital insult their bishop, a layman having given him the lie direct, in reply to which the bishop was driven to the humiliating necessity of offering to take his oath that what he had said was true.

Macdowell's Company have just played a very successful engagement here, several of their performances being patronized and commended by their Excellencies and Suite. Lord Dufferin's children seem to be following in the footsteps of their parents, in a desire to encourage struggling genius when it is deserving, and the matinee of this Company was announced to be under the gracious patronage of the four vice-regal babies, who attended in a body, and bestowed their tiny applause in the most appreciative and enthusiastic manner.

Sir Edward Thornton has been the honored guest of Government House for the past week.—He seems much interested in every thing about Ottawa, and in return every body seems much interested in him, for he has protected the British interests in Washington through many trying crises, and has displayed those qualities of a statesman and a gentleman which have won for him the affection and respect of the two governments with which he has been so intimately connected.

We will close this letter with a passing remark on Cupid's work of this session. The little boy has not been idle, and the depression which has so seriously affected the country in every other respect, has had no influence whatever on his business.—Engagements come flying in as thick as leaves in autumn, and indeed we do not wonder when we look at the sweet faces on every side—Ottawa seems most liberally endowed in this respect, and London, Toronto, Montreal and Kingston have each sent a beauty to swell the lovely throng.

OTTAWA, April 11th, 1877.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The *Mail* gives the following report of Mr. Gordon Brown's (editor of the *Globe*) evidence before the Northern Railway Committee: "Mr. Gordon brown testified "that he sold the nut patent to the North- "ern. He was one of the Company which "purchased the patent from Oakley, a "mechanic in Toronto. The Company "was to pay Oakley $2,000. The $1,000 "from the Northern was paid Oakley. "Mr. Brown lost $800 on patenting the "invention in the United States, and "in travelling expenses. After that he "dropped."

—The only defence put forward on behalf of Sir John Macdonald for having taken Northern Railway funds to help in the election of Sir Francis Hincks is that "Sir John was informed that Mr. Cum- "berland, as an old politician and person- "al friend of Sir Francis Hincks, was "anxious to contribute to his election, and "being requested to do so drew on him "for $1,000." It does not strike his apologists that even if this were all the truth, it would still remain on their own showing that Sir John was again guilty of the gross offence of being, while premier, the levier and distributor of an election bribery fund.

—Sir John Macdonald yesterday retracted the statement that the $1,000 taken out of the Northern Railway funds to aid in the election of Sir Francis Hincks passed through the hands of the Hon. R. W. Scott. It appears to have been handed over by the Honorable Knight Sir John to the Hon. Knight Sir Francis personally, Mr. Scott—not being an honorable and gallant Knight—having nothing to do with it. This will be a great and serious blow to the *Mail*, as it greatly rejoiced when it thought that Mr. Scott had been proved to have had even momentary possession of the filched corruption fund.

—It is said, on good authority, that the Opposition has determined not to offer a vote of want of confidence on the Cartwright loan. The reason is said to be that some of the members have declared that they must get away, and will not consent to remain longer than is positively necessary.

—Mr. Bowell on Wednesday flashed his dark lantren in the face of the Government by a motion for a return of fees paid to lawyers in connection with the Northern Railway investigation. Mr. Blake said no fees had been paid to Counsel, and Mr. Bowell, thus punctured, sank back in his seat in a state of collapse.

The Toronto *Telegram* (Independent) has been reflecting on the Northern Railway revelation, with the following result:—"The further the Nortern Railway investigation is pushed, the more damaging to the Conservatives are the disclosures of the means employed to keep them in power. And the more damaging the disclosures in this case the more necessity is there for Sir John Macdonald to explain the use to which the Secret Service moneys were put. If he were guilty of levying on railway corporations—where he was obliged to take other people into his confidence—in order to raise funds for "poor young men's" election expenses, the inference is not altogether unjustifiable that he used Government funds—where he took nobody into his confidence—in order to pay his own."

THE QUEBEC SHAREHOLDERS of the Canada Agricultural Insurance Company have held a meeting and adopted resolutions of non-confidence in the management of the Company. The resolutions set forth that the shareholders are alarmed at the losses of the Company and the carelessness of the directors and manager, and feel themselves compelled to demand a change in the management or to have the affairs of the Company wound up. Two shareholders have been appointed by the meeting to investigate the Company's affairs, which are said to be in a discouraging condition.

INSURANCE COMPANY MEETINGS.

The annual meeting of the Stadacona Fire Insurance Co. was held on Tuesday afternoon, in Quebec, when a report was read and adopted, after which Messrs. J. B. Renaud, John Ross, James G. Ross, W. Sharples, D. C. Thompson, C. Tetu, A. Lemoine, Hon. E. Chinie and P. B. Casgrain were elected directors for the next year. This year's business shows the following unsatisfactory result: Premiums received amounted to $202,000, losses paid were $240,000; unpaid, $45,000; expenses, $50,000, showing a loss on the year's operations of $133,000.—"Witness."

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CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.30
BRAN, " "	90
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Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

INSPECT OUR STOCK.

We have received the greater portion of our SPRING STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,

And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.

Goods will be shewn with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, April 5th, 1877.

N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORAN ONS TO-DAY

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES!!

CALL AND SEE

OUR NEW STOCK

OF

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES

JUST RECEIVED,

And will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.

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A GOOD STEADY MAN, as Gardner and Coachman. Apply to

WILLIAM MINORE,
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THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

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Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

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IN E OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

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A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
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The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Express	6.50 a m
No. Express	6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express	12.22 a m
Mixed	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 13.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—Six tramps and one prisoner occupied apartments in the cells last night.

PERSONAL.—Mr. G. E. Henderson Q. C. will conduct the Crown business at the Kingston Assizes.

SIGNS OF SPRING.—Quoit pitchers and base ballists were out in force yesterday afternoon enjoying their favorite pastimes.

REMINDER.—Sugar Social in the M. E. Church to-night. For a good time and seat go early.

THAT CASE.—The Bleecker Ward contested election was resumed this morning before Judge Sherwood. Considerable interest is now being taken in it.

ON THE MOVE.—The "Dauntless" was brought to her moorings in the channel east of the island. The "Peerless" was to be launched this afternoon.

VESTRY MEETING.—The adjourned vestry meeting of Christ Church takes place this evening at half past seven o'clock sharp.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

THE "UTICA."—The repairs to this steamer having been completed, she will be launched to-morrow. Next week she will begin to run regularly.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as the best, has complied with the popular demand, and reduced from $4 00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

SQUARE TIMBER.—Square timber has begun to make its appearance in the river. As there is a considerable quantity to come down we would advise the swinging of the boom at the mouth of the river at as early a date as possible.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Fred Lingham returned home last evening from England, where he had been in the cattle business. He reports having done pretty well, and he looks as if he had taken good care of himself and been used splendidly.

SWALLOWS.—It has been said that "one swallow doesn't make a summer," but if an unlimited number of those birds will constitute that pleasant, though frequently warm and dusty season, then it is with us once again.

ROBLIN'S MILLS.—A very gracious revival service has just closed in the Methodist Church at Roblin's Mills, resulting in the addition of about sixty to the membership of the church. On Sabbath evening a doubly interesting baptismal service was held, about 29 were baptized, 18 of whom were adults

NOISY.—A man named Sweeney, who was remanded to jail for a week by order of the Magistrate, whilst being taken from the police station became very noisy, and showed his disapproval of the presence of the officer in whose charge he was, by general ill-conduct. He became quieted after a time and was taken to his new quarters.

TOO BAD.—The *Daily News* grieves over the ugly device on the corporation seal of Kingston. The "instrument" is supposed to be emblematical of the name of the city, and to represent a king sitting over a town, but instead of this the figure looks more like an auctioneer selling furniture on the Market Square. Something more elegant and appropriate should now be adopted.

TEMPERANCE.—An open meeting was held in the hall of the Temperance Association of the Holy Cross, on Wednesday evening Rev. Mr. O'Reilly delivered an address on "Temperance," and Mrs. P. Farrell and Miss Kenny rendered a number of vocal selections in a highly commendable manner. Mr. Butler rendered a recitation very acceptably, and a number of others contributed to the evening's enjoyment. The Society, is, we are pleased to learn, increasing in numbers and is accomplishing much good.

OBSTRUCTING THE STREETS.—A complaint was made at the police station this morning that two men were lying drunk on the sidewalk on Railway Station Street. Sergeant Snider and officer Daly found the men and brought them to the station, where they were locked up. Each one had a ticket for St. Paul Minnesotta, and it is presumed that they got off a westward bound train and having delayed too long at a station hotel were left behind.

NAVIGATION NOTE!—A despatch from Napanee says:—"The Napanee River is clear of ice, and the ice bridge at Milipoint disappeared yesterday afternoon. The ice in the Picton Bay is still quite firm, but cannot last but a few days. The following vessels and steamers which wintered here are now being fitted 'out:—Schooners David Andrews, Highland Beauty, Dominion, and Alma, and passenger steamer Oswego Belle and Kincardine. The Highland Beauty left here this evening for Belleville to load lumber for Kingston, being the first to clear from this port since the opening of navigation.

KINGSTON ITEMS.—The first steamer of the season—the Juniata from Gananoque arrived in the harbor yesterday.—The Spring Assizes for the County of Frontenac will open on Tuesday next.—A Kingstonian, one day recently, made $17,000 in grain speculation.—The convicts are vigorously at work in the Penitentiary gardens.—The steamer D. C. West will make two trips a week between Kingston and Smith's Falls during this summer.—Several shipments of cattle have been made since the opening of navigation by the Pierrepont.—The schooner D. and J. Collier arrived from Toronto yesterday with a cargo of grain.

ADVICE.—We think the gentleman who frequently forwards contributions complaining about municipal matters, might be cured if he put a pane of blue glass in his hat. It's a fearful disease to imagine you're a good newspaper writer. If the blue-glass wont effect a cure, we recommend jumping from the Lower Bridge. We think he'd make pretty good fish-bait;—besides, the accomplishment of such an act would make a first class local item. And if he were drowned, the gain of the fish wouldn't be our loss. Oh, no.

YACHTING.—From all over the country we hear of new and valuable acquisitions being made to yachting fleets. The principal additions are second class boats; still several first class crafts will float for the first time this season. Down the river improvements are being made in several; in Kingston a second class boat has been launched; in Oswego this years additions are almost sufficient to constitute a fleet; a new boat is being built near Charlotte; one at Port Hope; two in Toronto, and one in Cobourg. The coming season gives promise of being as lively as the most sanguine lover of this sport could possibly wish.

HOUSE CLEANING.—These are the days that are full of trouble for the housewife, as she has to rise earlier, toil harder and retire later than during any other period of the year. Everything is in readiness at seven in the morning for the paper-hanger and white wash artist, and the trusting landlady regretfully sees him leave in the evening, with a day's work yet to be done, and the house in a terrible state of disorder; the floor being covered with strips of paper and spotted indiscriminately with whitewash. This is the paper-hanger's golden harvest time, and he is reaping all the benefits he can from it. The scolding landlady has no terror for him; he moves as he always does, languidly and carefully; tells his funny stories slowly and deliberately, and passes his time in that easy way so characteristic of all artists in his profession.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—The great temperance drama of Ten Nights in a Bar Room was put upon the boards last evening by Harry Lindley and Company, assisted by Mr. Geo. Hanwell and Mr. Sinfield of our town. The occasion was a complimentary benefit tendered Mr. Lindley, and we are sorry to say the attendance was not as large as it ought to have been. The play throughout was exceedingly well rendered. Mr. E. H. Brink's protrayal of *Joe Morgan*, the inebriate, was particularly good. Mr. Hanwell made an excellent *Sample Switchel*, when it is considered that he is entirely out of practice, not having stood before the foot lights for some years. *Mr. Romain* was faithfully performed by Mr. Sinfield, The rest of the characters were well taken by the other members of the company. At the conclusion of the piece Harry Lindley sang "Sold Everywhere," and gave as an *encore* "Pull Down the Blind," in both of which he made some excellent local hits. To-morrow evening, by special request, two great pieces, Buffalo Bill and Ten Nights in a Bar Room, in both of which Mr. Hanwell will appear, and we hope to see a full house.

A HAPPY MAN.—He was married the other day, and he likes it. There is poetry, sentiment and feeling in his soul, and he is as happy generally as a clam at high tide. He—from habit merely—always wore tight boots, and as a consequence he was afflicted with corns. His boots were high-heeled and they caused him to stoop over as he meandered gaily along our streets. But what a change. As we before remarked, he got married and that accounts for the revolution. Corns don't trouble him any more. Oh, no, we guess not. Abominable high-heeled boots don't affect the uprightness of his stature, for now he is as straight as a yard of pump-water. He is chock full of love; in fact love is visible in every linament and feature of his classic countenance, and we would give four dollars if we were him. In fact, we'd rather be that way than a regular visitor at the meetings of the Q. M. B. C. Sewing Society. He was particularly happy yesterday afternoon, and as he walked down street he treaded the walk so lightly with his number twelves that an ordinary person would imagine that he was walking on air. But he wasn't. Visions of "ecstatic bliss," "cozy bowers," "shaded groves," "saunters in the moonlight" with his lovey, lovey, love, held supreme possession of his senses and he waltzed along regardless of the fact that his dexter rear coat pocket was on fire. Twenty-five little boys—that's the exact number—trotted around him and called out, "Say, Mister;" but, but,—oh, his mind was too full of connubial thoughts and amatorial inspirations to notice them. And when he got as far as the lower bridge he discovered that a brand-new coat, that had cost $8 00, was skirtless on one side, and bore a sad and dilapidated look.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

Friday 13th April, 1877.

VAGRANCY.

John Sweeney, who is supposed to be a lunatic, was arrested at the depot last evening, and brought before the court to-day charged with vagrancy. He was remanded for a week.

ABUSIVE LANGUAGE.

A charge preferred by William Ostrom against Martin Ryan was laid over for a week.

YACHTING.

THE INA FROLIC RACE—AWARD AGAINST THE FROLIC.

Capt, Joseph Ellsworth of New York, and the Sailing Committee of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, to whom was referred the disputed yacht race between the Ina and Frolic at Chicago last year, have decided that the race was wrongly awarded to the Frolic, and that the Canadian yacht won.

STABBING AFFRAY IN MARMORA.

Special to the ONTARIO.

MARMORA, 12th April, 1877.

John Donohue stabbed James Cooper in the cheek in a drunken affray here this evening. At the time of sending this despatch it was not known whether the wounds inflicted will prove fatal

PITIFUL SCENES.

The burning of the Southern Hotel at St. Louis has furnished the press with numerous paragraphs of pathetic and horrible import. As we have before remarked, it was the finest hotel in the city and a favorite resort for tourists. When the fire occurred it was filled with guests, and the dense volumes of blinding, suffocating smoke that were driven through the building so bewildered the frenzied inmates, as they rushed madly in search of friends and valuables, that many fell a prey to the flames, not knowing where to go. A newly married English Member of Parliament, believing that his wife had perished, became crazed, and committed suicide. Many leaped from windows and were dashed lifeless or maimed on the stone pavements beneath. Women and children rushed screaming from the burning building, in their night clothes, or threw themselves wildly from third and fourth storey windows. The scene is said to have been indescribable, and it is not yet known how many human beings perished.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Thursday, April 13th.

After routine, a number of Government Bills were advanced a stage.

On motion to go into Committee of Supply,

Mr. COSTIGAN moved a long amendment to the effect that the partial amnesty granted to Riel and Lepine in connection with the North-west troubles should be extended to W. B. O'Donoghue. He had just began to speak to his motion when, six o'clock having arrived, the Speaker left the chair.

A long debate followed, in which many members took part.

Mr. BLAKE in very caustic language condemned the attempt to excite sectional and national prejudices. He sometimes wondered, when he heard references made to Englishmen, Irishmen, or Scotchmen, where anybody should look for a Canadian. He went on to show the inconsistency of Mr. Costigan's action now, seeing he had expressly voted to exempt O'Donoghue from amnesty in 1875 for reasons recited. The cause of that exemption was whereas Riel and Lepine took up arms at the call of the Executive against the Fenian raid of 1871, O'Donoghue was the leader of that raid. That was the distinction made, or at all events it was an important factor in the consideration of the amnesty. The character of the raid was proved by a large number of official documents, and the admission of O'Donoghue himself in his impudent letter to the Speaker last year. It was not the disturbance of 1869 70 that kept O'Donoghue out of the country, but the raid, for participation in which Louis Letender, a Frenchman, and not an Irishman, had been sentenced to death and been banished for twenty years.

Sir J. A. MACDONALD made a very excited appeal in behalf of the exiled Fenian, and strove to excite sectional prejudices by reference to O'Donoghue's nationality.

Mr. BOWELL, who last year voted against the resolution, gave the House his reasons for changing ground.

The House finally divided on Mr. Costigan's amendment which was lost.—Yeas, 60; Nays 105.

The House then went into Committee of Supply and passed a number of items under the head of Militia and Defence.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

Romantic Elopement.

HAMPTON'S POPULARITY.

THE INDIAN DIFFICULTY.

THE LOUISIANA RIVALS

MISCELLANEOUS.

TRENTON, N. J., April 13.—James Reed son of a wealthy Philadelphian, eloped with Ida Everett, a builder's daughter, on Wednesday night. No clergyman could be found, and the couple spent the night at Reed's room. Ida's father caused their arrest. Reed has gone to Philadelphia, and Ida to the Reform School.

NEW YORK, April 13.—The *Herald's* Charleston special says the colored militia have tendered allegiance to Hampton. He will probably form a regiment of negroes and one of white rifle clubs.

The *Tribune's* Red Cloud Agency special says Crazy Horse's bands refuse to surrender until the Black Hills are evacuated. If Crazy Horse does not come in immediately, Gen. Crook will prepare to make him.

The *Tribune* says the Commission appear unanimous that Packard should not be further sustained by troops. The Nicholls Legislature will elect a Republican Senator, if desired, but the Commission will not make any bargain.

The *Sun* says the finding of the Court Martial recommended Major Reno's dismissal for traducing a brother officer's wife.

The Speakership is now conceded to Randall.

The *Tribune* says:—Governor Kellogg intimates that Packard will fight and an uprising of negroes will keep the white league busy at home.

The *Sun* identifies Baker and Elliott, forgers recently arrested, as part of a gang of daring fugitives from American justice who operated in Europe. They were convicted in Turkey, escaped and came back to America. There are fourteen skilful forgers yet to be arrested to break up the strongest gang in this country.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

THE SITUATION IN THE EAST. FIGHTING GOING ON.

KILLED BY THE CARS.

A HUSBAND'S VENGEANCE.

MORE ABOUT THE ST. LOUIS FIRE

LONDON, April 13.—The latest Eastern advices to-day are disquieting. The attitude assumed by both Russia and Turkey forces the conviction that war cannot be avoided. The Russian Embassy is preparing to leave Constantinople. Turkey refuses to prolong the Montenegro armistice; the whole army of the Pruth is advancing.

A despatch from Scutari says:—Fighting has been going on in the Miridite country since Sunday, Dervish Pasha having rejected all mediations. The first day the Turks were beaten at Meradi, but the second day they captured the position of Muel. The result of the last two days fighting is unknown.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Rev. Gilbert B. Hayden got off the cars at Elizabeth, N. J., last night, and was struck by a passing express train and killed.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 13.—J. M. Carson found David Mikesell and Mrs. Carson in company at the Petroleum House yesterday and shot Mikesell fatally. Mikesell had been notoriously intimate with Mrs. Carson.

ST. LOUIS, April 13.—One hundred and fifty men began work again at the Southern Hotel ruins this morning, and shortly afterwards the unrecognizable body of a woman was found.

INTELLIGENCE OF PARROTS.—A grey parrot, the property of a very indulgent mistress, not only learned new words and phrases every day, but made a surprisingly correct application of them. When his mistress had occasion to scold him for some mischief, he would indignantly reply, "Not a naughty Poll! Not a bold, bad Poll!" and reiterate by stamping his right foot and an up-and-down movement of his body, "I am not—I am not." when she praised him he would tell her that she was a darling, and he loved her. He was very jealous of attentions paid to children, and when he saw them caressed would cry, "Go away, bold girl!" or, "Go away, bold boy!" using the terms boy and girl with accurate discrimination. He remembered every name that he heard, and applied it correctly to the person. Once seeing a visitor without a dog he was accustomed to have with him, he called the dog by name and whistled for him, although neither the gentleman nor his dog had been at the house for some months. He was an inveterate mimic, and was fond of laughing at his own jokes, which sometimes had a spice of malice in them. He would play with the cats till he was tired, and then whistle for the dogs to chase them away. He was often allowed to be out of doors, and the crows would fly away in alarm from a tree when he got upon it, he calling "Good morning" after them with apparent delight, laughing mischievously at their discomfiture.

This and That.

—Peter S. Archibald, son of the late Judge Archibald, of Nova Scotia, and brother of the British Consul at New York, dropped dead in the street at Truro on Sunday evening.

—The usual spring flight of pigeons has commenced. Immense flocks are reported on the west side of Lake Erie, and doubtless ere long sportsmen in this vicinity will have their eyes gladdened by the sight of large numbers of these savory birds.

—Intelligencer received from Maderia, from the Transvaal Republic, states that scenes of confusion occured in the Volksraad upon the refusal of that assembly to consider President Burgers' programme of reforms, The House insisted upon the maintainance of the freedom of the Republic.

—Mr. Fuller, of Hamilton, contracter for the Pacific Telegraph (170 miles), from Swan River to Fort Edmonton, testified before the Immigration and Colonization Committee that he had timber limits at the Lake of the Woods capable of supplying the whole North-west for twenty years. He had not developed them, and is was impossible to get the timber out until the railway is built. The timber is of the finest quality of read and white pine.

—An exchange remarks that in China it is customary to kill poets and eat them, which moves the Norristown *Herald* man to add, "on account of their tender lines, we suppose."

—When a fond son starts forward in life he sometimes turns round to caress his friends, but a mule never turns round. He is the only affectionate one of his species who can strike out in life both ways at once.

Died.

On Thursday April 11 of Consumption MARY the wife of JOHN T. HODSDON.

The funeral will take place from the family residence Catharine Street West Belleville, to the Cemetery.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson,

BELLEVILLE, April 13.

Greenbacks buying at	94
" selling at	95
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	186½

Gold opened at 106; closed at 106½.

Montreal Markets.

MONTREAL, April 13.

Flour—Receipts 1,500 barrels. Market quiet and firm, sellers holding for higher prices. Sales, 200 brls. strong bakers at 7 00; 100 do at 6.90; 60 fine at 5.90; 50 superior at 7.25.

Ashes and provisions unchanged.

Peas—400 bush, U. C, white sold at 92½c. per 66 lbs.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 13, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 14,000. Shipments 4 415. Market active 5 to 10cts. advance; packers and shippers buying light grades; selling 5.20 for mixed heavy to packers; 5 20 to 5.65 for common shipping. Official receipts on yesurday 14,093.

New York Markets.

New York, April 13, 1877.

Gold—106½.

Cotton—Quiet, 11¾

Flour—A shade firmer; receipts, 10,000 barrels; sales, 14,000 barrels.

Rye Flour—Very firm, at $4 50.

Wheat—Firm at $1.59 to $1.61. Receipts 11,000; sales none.

Rye—Firm.

Corn—Firmer. Rects. 88,000 bush.; sales 61,000 bush. at 39 to 60c, and 59 to 62c.

Barley—Quiet. No. 1 at 93 to 96; 2 rowed at 60 to 65; six do at 65 to 70.

Oats—Firmer. Receipts 18,000 bush; sales 37,000 bush. 42 to 58c for mixed; 48 to 60 for white.

Pork—Dull at 15.00.

Lard—Quiet at 9 70.

Butter—10 to 22c for old; 14 to 30c new

Cheese—7 to 14½c.

Petroleum—Crude 10½c; refined 16½.

We sell more of GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA, it gives better satisfaction than any Liniment we ever saw. Is is a pleasure to have something that a druggist an conscientiously recommend. F. & E. BAILEY & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

"A DROWNING MAN WILL CATCH AT A STRAW.

If he catch it, it will do him no good. Thousands of people, who having neglected colds and coughs until they have become dangerous, will rush to almost every nostrum for relief. This is why so many experiments are tried by the sufferers. Go to your Druggist, buy a bottle of WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, and use it with confidence. It will benefit at once and ultimately cure. It is no straw, it is a cable well-tried; hold on to it and be saved.

50 cents and $1 a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan' Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remedy and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

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$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale by all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D., Bible House, New York City. 3tawd&w6m

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AT VERY LOW PRICES,

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Belleville, April 13. 1877.

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With a well selected stock of

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Feb. 27, 1877. ly

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A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

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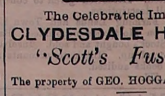
He will be found at his stable during the whole season.

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m



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How are you, A?

You must not speak in that way.

In what way shall I speak, thin sur?

Say what I say,

Yis, sur.

This is B.

Sure an' is that B? I thought it was an ox-yoke

What was the last letter I showed you?

I can't remember, sur.

What bird is it that lays honey and stings?

Is it a wasp, sur?

No, it is a bee.

So it is, and looks like an ox-yoke.

What letter is this, the third one on the page?

I don't know, sur.

What do I do when I look at you?

I shouldn't like to say, sur.

I want you to tell me.

I am afraid you will lick me, sur.

Tell me what I do when I look at you.

Well, sur, you squint.

Can't you say C with out the squint!

Yis, sur.

Say it, then.

C without the squint.

What is the name of the next letter?

I don't know, sur. I never saw it before.

Well, it is D, for dunce; just like yourself. Say that.

D, for dunce; just like yourself.

Take your seat, and the spelling class will come up and spell. Spell cat.

Ca-t—catfish.

'Tain't right. Now spell tub.

Tu-b—washtub.

'Tain't right. Now spell frog.

F-r-o-g—bullfrog.

'Tain't right. Now go to your seats and study. The geography class will come up and say their lessons, James, where does the sun rise?

I don't know, sir. We never get up in time to see the performance at our house.

Next. Where does the sun rise?

In the East, sur.

What makes the sun rise in the East?

Yeast will make anything rise, sur.

HOW TO IMPROVE STOCK.

As the season of the year is close at hand when the farmer makes his selection of stock to sell and keep, it is proper that he should stop and consider how we shall make the selection to our best advantage. In hogs and cattle it matters not what our stock is, we always have some inferior ones, and will to pay keep the best and sell the poorest. I do not wish, however, to be understood as recommending putting half-fattened, unsaleable stock on the market. I advise all to sort out the inferior ones and give them extra attention and feed; get them in good condition and sell them off. Save yourself nothing but the best, and you will seen see a great change in your stock. Also expend a few dollars for pure or high-blooded stock and in a few years you will get back your money with a hundred per cent. added You will also discover that it does dot cost any more to raise a three-year-old steer that will weigh 1,400 to 1,600 than it will to raise a scrub that will weigh from 700 to 1,000 pounds, and the same holds equally good with hogs. I have some at a year old that will weigh 300 pounds or over, and others of the same age that will only weigh half as much, and all have the same feed and the same chance. Blood will show; feed will not do it all. —*Country Gentleman.*

NO FAITH IN BLUE GLASS.

Old Si and one of his chums met at James's Bank corner yesterday morning.

"Whar is you bin dis mornin' Peter?"

"I'se bin up dar at Marse William's house puttin' in some blue glass in de winders ob de flow'r konservatif!"

"Blue Glass? Whar for dey puttin' dat kine ob glass in dere, 'stead ob de or'nary glass?"

"I dunno, sho,' but dere's some kine of science in hit, for I heah Marse William sayin' dat some man has 'skiver'd dat blue glass kyores d'zease, fattens hogs, meks de crooked strate, an' de vegitibles and flow'rs ter grow three times ez fas' and fo' times as fine!"

"Aw, go 'way, nigger; wha' kine ob licker did Marse William gib you dis mornin' for da job?"

"Hit's de trufe, 'cordin' to Marse William. He say dat blue glass is got mo' raisin' pow'r dan all de guwanner soupefosfates in de country."

"Well, now, you'se stewart in de church ain't yer?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, now, you jest git er blue glass sa'sser nex' Sunday, an' see de 'feet ob hit when yer go ter raise de collecshun—ef dat succeed, I'se gwin ter b'leeb in de sience ob blue glass, but not befo'!"

ENGLAND.

The monster target at Shoeburyness cost £6,000.

Mr. W. G. Grace will retire from cricketing after this season.

The foundation-stone of a Presbyterian Hall has been laid by the Mayor of Newcastle.

An automaton stoker for locomotives has been satisfactorily set to work in Liverpool.

The Midland Railway Company are reducing the number of their servants at several stations.

The London Salvage Corps attended 1,404 fires in 1876, but could render assistance at only 446.

The total debt of the Birmingham Corporation is £4,891,861, the total interest being £186,861.

Seven applications will be made to Parliament this session for permission to use steam on tramways.

A large artesian well, 106 feet deep and 20 feet in diameter, has been completed for the Leamington Town Council.

The gross revenue of the Tyne Commission last year was £186,818, being an increase over the previous year of £3,195.

The membership of the English Order of Good Templars shows a decrease of 15,000 in consequence of the dissensions through the negro question.

The Duke of Westminster has resolved not to renew the lease of the public houses on his London property, in order to give coffee shops a fair chance.

The Hon. Arthur Strutt, second son of Lord Belper, was killed on the 6th inst. in a cotton mill at Millford, Derbyshire, by getting entangled among the machinery.

The *Army and Navy Gazette* says that by the retirement of Colonel Manningham-Buller, Lieut.-Col. the Duke of Connaught falls into command of the 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade.

Though the Great Eastern Steamship Company has a balance to the credit of revenue account for the past year of £8,347, the directors do not intend to propose any dividend until the ship is employed.

ILLNESS OF MR. CHARLES MATTHEWS.

Mr. Charles Matthews was taken seriously ill at Bristol, where he was engaged at the New Theatre. He was appearing in "My Awful Dad," but was unable to proceed with his part, and had to be led off the stage in a prostrate condition. Medical aid was summoned, and he is still in a very weak state.

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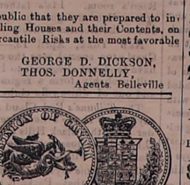

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FRESH OYSTERS!
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OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

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Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.

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BY REV. I. N. CARMAN.

[William A. Jones, foreman of the composing room of the New Orleans "Times," died recently. Just before his death he became conscious for a moment, and in that gleam, dwelling on the habits of his life, he suddenly exclaimed: "The ads are all right, Sherman; lock up the forms and let's go to press."]

Fellow-man a moment linger
On the dying printer's speech,
For it bears a weighty lesson,
Our unheeded hearts to teach.

Day by day thou art composing
What a universe shall read,
Type to type art ceaseless setting,
As thou addest deed to deed.

Ah, how surely life's full columns,
When the hand that set them lies
Fixed in an unbroken stillness,
Their composer advertise.

Soon the forms are locked forever,
Changeless shall th' impression be,
Scan the proofs in time, O printer;
Thou art near eternity.

Are the "ads" all right, composer?
Art thou standing justified?
Ready now for death and judgment,
Their unfoldings to abide?

So shalt thou, as night advances,
Greet th' unstaying Pressman's call,
Then wait the morn eternal,
Publishing thy life to all.

THE MOTHER'S LOSS.

BY GATH BRITTLE.

"What would you be, my bonnie boys?"
I asked my treasures, long ago—
My brown-eyed Will, the gentle one,
And black-eyed Ben, with cheeks aglow.

"I'd be a soldier," said eager Ben:
"And feel the pride that soldiers know
When they charge in the light of the bursting shell,
And drive from the field the conquered foe.

"And then, dear mother, when peace was gained,
My sum of joy would be complete,
When I came to you for your smile and kiss,
And laid my laurels at your feet."

"I'd be a poet," said brown-eyed Will:
To weave my brightest thoughts in rhyme,
And help make light the hearts of men
In the gloom of the coming time,

"To share with others the joy that comes
In glorious waking dreams to me;
The music that floats from fairy land,
The pictures that only dreamers see."

Fate took my noble boys away.
One sought fame—and gained his share—
In songs that will live while songs are sung;
The other in deeds of valor rare.

Fate put their loving lives apart,
But could not make my boys forget
That here, within their mother's heart,
Together they were cherished yet.

For at one knee they offered prayer;
One lesson from my lips they learned;
And these same arms had sheltered them
Before my locks to silver turned.

Renown was theirs—the rich reward
Of worthy deeds, of duty done;
And they were coming home at last
To her that lived for them alone.

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And yet I weep! It were a sin
To try to hide the grief I feel—
A grief that nought on earth can soothe,
A grief no mortal art can heal.

It was a dream too bright to last,
My boys I never saw again;
One died upon the field of fight,
And one was lost upon the main.

'Twas while I dreamed, the poet boy
Was sleeping in the trackless sea;
And a foeman's cruel shot had chilled
The other life that beat for me.

WINNIE'S FORTUNE.

The handsome dining-room in the Mayberry mansion was all a glitter with floods of gas light and the genial glow of the fire—for Mr Josiah Mayberry was a very "queer man," according to his wife's opinion, and this fancy of his to have nasty, ashy fires all over the splendid mansion before the weather became cold enough was one of his "eccentric freaks," Mrs. Mayberry called it, with a curl of her lip, a toss of the head and a smile of contempt, directed at the hale, hearty, honest faced old gentleman who had married her for her pretty face, ten years ago, when he was an immensely rich widower with his handsome half grown son for a not undesirable encumbrance.

They were sitting around the handsome table, discussing their seven o'clock dinner, with the solemn butler and his subordinate, in silent, obsequious attention—these three Mayberrys, father, son and the haughty, well dressed lady who was wearing a decided frown of displeasure on her face—a frown she had barely power to restrain from degenerating into a verbal expression of anger while the servants were in waiting, and which, as the door finally closed on them, leaving the little party alone over the wine and nuts, burst forth impetuously:

"I declare, Mr. Mayberry, it is too bad! I have gone over the list of invitations you have made, and to think there is not one—not one—of our set among them, and such a horrid lot of people as you have named!"

Mr. Mayberry sipped his wine contentedly.

"I told you, didn't I, Marguerite, that it was my intention to give and old fashioned dinner! And by that I meant, and mean, to whom it will, indeed, be cause for thandfulness, As to making a grand fuss, and seeing around our table only the people to whom a luxurious dinner is an every day occurrence—I shall not do it. And as to the guests on my list being 'horrid' and 'common,' you are mistaken, my dear. None of them have a worse failing than poverty. There is not a 'common,' vulgar person among the ten names on that paper."

Mr. Mayberry's good old face lighted up warmly as he spoke, and Ernest Mayberry's handsome face reflected the satisfaction and pride he felt in his father's views.

Mrs. Mayberry flushed, but said nothing.

She knew from experience that, kind and indulgent as her husband was, there were times when he suffered no appeal from his decision. And this was one of those times.

"We will have dinner ordered for 12 o'clock, as it used to be when I was a boy. We will have roast turkey, with cranberry sauce, a mashed potatoes and turnips, boiled onions and celery, and all on the table at once. For dessert, pie, cheese and cider, and nothing more.—Marguerite, shall I give the order to Lorton, or will you attend to it?"

Mrs. Mayberry twisted her diamond rings almost roughly.

"Oh, don't ask me to give such an insane order to him. I have no wish to appear as a laughing stock before my servants, Mr. Mayberry. It will be as severe a strain as I am capable of to be forced to sit at a table with such people as the Hurds and the Masons and that Thyrza Green and her lame brother, and that little old Wilmington and his granddaughter, and"—

"Old Mr. Wilmington was a friend of mine long before he went to India. Since he came home with his son's orphaned daughter and lived in such obscurity—comfortable although plain, for Winnie earns enough as daily governess to support them both cheaply—I regard him as more worthy than ever. Ernest, my boy, I shall depend upon you to help entertain our guests, and especially at table, for I shall have no servant about to scare them out of their appetites.

And Mr. Maybery dismissed the subject by arising from the table.

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"Would I like to go? Oh, grandpa, I should! Will we go do you think?"

The little, wizened old man looked fondly at her over his steel rimmed glasses.

"So you'd like to accept Mr. Mayberry's invitation to dinner, eh, Winnie? You wouldn't be ashamed of your old-fashioned grandfather, eh, among the fine folk of the family? Remarkably fine folk, I hear, for all I can remember when Joe was a boy together with myself. Fine folk, Winnie, and you think we'd better go?"

"I would like to go, grandpa. I don't have many recreations — I don't want many, for I think contended honest labor is the grandest thing in the world, and the best discipline—but, somehow, I can't tell why, but I do want to go. I can wear my black cashmere, and you'll be so proud of me."

"Proud of you, indeed, my child, no matter what you wear. Yes, we'll go."

And thus it happened that among the ten guests that sat down at Josiah Mayberry's hospitable, overflowing board that cold, blue skied day, Winnie Wilmington and the little old man were two—and two to whom Ernest Mayberry paid more devoted attention than even his father had asked and expected.

Of course it was a grand success—all excepting the cold hauteur on Mrs. Mayberry's aristocratic face, and that was a failure, because no one took the least notice of it, so much more powerful were the influences of Mr Mayberry's and Earnest's courteous, gentlemanly attentions.

"I only hope you are satisfied," Mrs. Josiah said, with what was meant to be withering sarcasm, after the last guest had gone and she stood a momnet before the fire; "I only hope you are satisfied—particularly with the attentions Earnest paid to that young woman—very unnecessary attention, indeed."

Mr. Mayberry rubbed his hands together briskly.

"Satisfied? Yes, thankful to God I had it in my power to make them forget their poverty, if only for one brief little hour. Did you see little Jimmy Hurd's eyes glisten when Earnest gave him the second triangle of pie? Bless the youngsters' hearts, they won't want anything to eat for a week."

"I was speaking of the young woman who—"

Mrs. Mayberry was icily severe, but her husband cut it short.

"So you were—pretty little thing as ever I saw. A ladylike, graceful little girl, with beautiful eyes enough to excuse the boy for admiring her."

"The boy. You seem to have forgtten your son is twenty-three—old enough to fall in love with, and marry—even a poor, unknown girl you were quite quixotic enough to invite to your table."

"Twenty-three? So he is. And if he wants to marry a beggar, and she is a good virtuous girl—why not?"

A little gasp of horror and dismay was the only answer of which Mrs. Mayberry was capable.

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"Grandpa!"

Winnie's voice was so low that Mr. Wilmington only just heard it, and when he looked up he saw the girl's crimson cheeks and her lovely, drooping face.

"Yes, Winnie. You want to tell me something?"

She went up behind him, and leaned her hot cheek caressingly against his, her sweet low voice whispering her answer—

"Grandpa, I want to tell you something. I—Mr. May—we—Earnest has asked—he wants me to—oh, grandpa, can't you tell what it is!"

He felt her cheek grow hotter against his.

He reached up his hand and carressed the other one.

"Yes, I can tell, dear. Earnest has shown his uncommon good sense by wanting you for a wife. So that is what comes of that dinner, eh, Winnie?"

"And may I tell him you are willing, perfectly willing, grandpa? Because I do love him, you know."

"And you are sure it isn't his money you are after, eh?"

She did not take umbrage at the sharp question.

"I am at least sure it is not my money he is after, grandpa," she returned laughingly and patting his cheek.

"Yes, you are at least sure of that; there, I hear the young man coming himself.—Shall I go, Winnie?"

It was the "young man himself," Earnest Mayberry, with a shadow of deep trouble and distress on his face, as he came straight up to Winnie and took her hand and then turned to the old gentleman.

"Until an hour ago I thought this would be the proudest, happiest hour of my life, sir, for I should have asked you to give me Winnie for my wife. Instead, I must be content to only tell you how dearly I love her, and how patiently and hard I will work for her to give her the home which she deserves—because, Mr. Wilmington, this morning the house of Mayberry & Thurston failed, and both families are beggars."

His handsome face was pale, but his eyes were bright with a determination and braveness nothing could daunt.

Winnie smiled back upon him, her own cheeks paling.

"Never mind, Earnest, on my account, I can wait, too."

Old Mr. Wilmington's eyes were almost shut beneath the heavy, frowning forehead, and a quizzical look was on his shrewd old face as he listened.

"Gone up, eh? Well, that's too bad. You stay here and tell Winnie I am just

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The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 14.

BUSINESS is improving in Montreal, and the belief prevails that the worst of the depression is over. Similar buoyant reports reach us from other commercial centres, all of which give hopes of "better times coming."

FOR more than a decade Cuba has been in the throes of rebellion, and there is little improvement to report to-day. The whole island is being desolated and the inhabitants are suffering untold privations. As there does not appear to be much prospect of Spain succeeding in re-establishing her dominion over the island, the intervention of the great powers would not be amiss.

MR. COCKBURN, the member for Muskoka, has been mentioned as one of those whose seat was in danger, owing to a contract with the Government. The facts of his case are simply these: Mr. Cockburn owns the only line of steamers plying between Gravenhurst and other northern points, and the mails must, perforce, be carried by them or be delayed a week at a time, if taken overland. But this is not the first time that an attack has been made on the same gentleman and for the same reason. Several years ago the Tories tried to have Mr. Cockburn unseated on this alleged mail contract, but gave up the task after realizing that they had no ground upon which to found a charge.

THE LATE LOAN.

The Opposition have finally concluded not to question the conduct of the Government, or more especially that of the Finance Minister, with regard to the late Canadian loan. This must be very discouraging to the *Mail*. That journal opened a most determined fusillade at the very first announcement of how the loan was contracted by Mr. Cartwright, and has, at regular intervals since, repeated the attack. We were told that the interests of Canada had been most shamefully and bunglingly sacrificed; that the agents in London had been allowed their own terms; and that the result was a disgraceful exhibition of financial incapacity on the part of the Canadian Finance Minister. Parliament was invoked to inquire into the matter, and administer a rebuke to the conceited financier who is empowered by an incapable Administration to direct so important a negotiation. It was set down as one of the best points expected to be made by the Opposition during the session, and from which something substantial would be gathered afterwards. Finding that the Government was by no means reluctant to have an opportunity for testing the opinion of the House on this transaction, they have very discretely abandoned the siege. Mr. Cartwright is said to be amply prepared for whatever may be advanced by the Opposition, and would defend his own and the agent's conduct in a way that might not be creditable to his critics.

Since the above was in type we have received information of Mr. Gibbs' amendment to the motion to go into Committee of Supply, as detailed in our Parliamentary summary. We shall endeavor to find space for Mr. Cartwright's speech on the occasion. The above article was founded on what we supposed reliable authority.

RECIPROCITY.

The Commission for adjusting our claims for compensation, as provided by the Washington Treaty with respect to the fishery clause, will soon meet for the transaction of business. There can be no question of the justice of our demands, and the report, when formulated, must exact a considerable sum from the United States Government. Anticipating this result, we are told that suggestions have been made for the substitution of a reciprocity treaty in place of a money compensation. Whether this announcement is authoritatively given, or merely the outgrowth of popular feeling, we are yet unable to determine. But one thing is quite certain, nevertheless. The United States Government recognizes the great obstacles in the way of a satisfactory calculation of a proper compensation for the Canadian fisheries, and would be willing to adopt some means to avoid this difficulty. The present aspect of affairs is also much more favorable to such negotiations than for many years past. A more liberal administra- of power prevails in the United States, and the Democrats, always disposed to favor reciprocal relations with Canada, are much stronger in both Houses at Washington. Should such a proposition be made, it is not unlikely that it would be favorably considered by the Canadian Government, and meet with a strong expression of popular favor. And, in case this result is reached, what will become of the protection cry in Canada? As a contemporary remarks, "with a free market in the United States for Canadian agricultural products and lumber, to say nothing of coal, there will be few advocates of anything but a revenue tariff for Canada."

—Great quantities of pike, pickerel and other fish are now being taken in the river at Chatham, and the market is well supplied. Shipments east are made daily.

Editorial Notes.

BY the casting vote of the Mayor, the motion to reduce the civil appropriations of Montreal $100,000, have been carried.

IT is said that lumber freights will be higher this season than last, there being a greater demand for lumber.

VICE-CHANCELLOR BLAKE has tendered his resignation as License Commissioner, because he cannot agree with Mr. McNabb, Police Magistrate.

THE Roman Catholic Bishops of London, Hamilton, Kingston and Sault Ste Marie are in Toronto, holding private council with Archbishop Lynch.

A BAG of gold dust weighing forty ounces, the production of fifteen days' labor of seven men, taken from a mine in the St. Francis, (Beauce) District, has been shown at London. The owners expect to obtain $12.50 per ounce for it.

A NEW departure is proposed by the Grand Trunk Railroad in the shape of a steel car to carry grain. This is to be shorter than the present car, and as much stronger as steel is than wood, which will permit the grain being loaded higher than at present. The new cars are to weigh six tons instead of ten tons. In other words, the present car loads ten tons and weighs ten tons, and the new one will load eighteen tons and weigh six tons. Cars of the new model are being experimented with.

THE SPEAKER TESTIFIES.

We take the the following from the Hamilton *Times*:—Mr. Anglin then addressed the Committee for an hour, going into the minutest particulars, and inviting the fullest cross-examination. Briefly related, his story was as follows: That on the day Sir John Macdonald announced the resignation of the Ministry, he, without seeing any of his friends, went to his lodgings, where about 10 p. m. he was visited by Mr. Mackenzie, who informed him that he had been successful in forming a Government, but there was yet a difficulty to overcome, which was that of witness becoming a member of the Cabinet. Witness said that he was willing to state to the Committee what the difficulty was, but declined to do so unless required; it is generally understood, however, to have been the New Brunswick School Law. Mr Anglin proceeded to say that he told Mr. Mackenzie that he did not consider he had any claim on the new Government, and that they need not take him into consideration at all. He proceeded to point out to Mr. Mackenzie that he could not become a member of his Administration, but he would promise to give it his warmest support. The next day Mr. Mackenzie again saw him and stated that the difficulty still existed; he offered the witness the Speakership, which he declined most positively, on the ground that, being anxious of taking part in the debates, he should find the position intolerably irksome. From that time to the day when Mr. Mackenzie announced the new Ministry, he had no communication whatever with him, though a number of persons came and "sounded" him on certain questions, but he had no reason to believe they did so at Mr. Mackenzie's request, or with his knowledge. Witness declared, in the most solemn manner, that not then, nor before or since, had he ever solicited any favors from any Government, that he never suggested any thing, and that he never gave anybody the slightest intimation that he thought he had any claim on his party whatever. He said he stated this in order to deny, in the most positive manner, that there was any truth at all in the statement or insinuations or allegations which had been made in the House during the debate. He went on to say that after the new Government had been formed the Hon. D. A. Macdonald, the new Postmaster-General, informed him incidentally that the post office printing for New Brunswick had been transferred from the office which had had it under the Tory regime to the *Morning Freeman*. Witness received this intimation quite as a matter of course, because it had long been the custom to give this work to newspapers friendly to the Administration of the day, and he therefore was not surprised at what the Postmaster-General said. Witness merely thanked him and the interview closed; not twenty words having passed. There was no contract, no agreement, nor understanding whatever as to the quality and quantity of the work, nor the rates to be charged; nor did it occur to witness that there was any breach of the Independence of Parliament Act of which he knew very little at that time; there was nothing private about the transaction, for no sooner was the printing taken from the office which had it, than the fact was loudly complained of, and everybody in St. John knew all about it; as it became a matter of notoriety. Witness never had anything whatever to do with the work; he left it entirely to his manager, and never asked any questions whatever respecting it; he conversed with nobody about it, and if spoken to on the subject by his clerks, he refused to have anything to say to them; he never knew what was being done, whether the accounts were settled or not, and paid no attention whatever to the affair, except on one occasion when he was in Ottawa, he was written to by his clerk and asked to draw some money which was due; this he did and gave the only receipt the Department held of his. He never thought there was anything wrong, for the country did not lose a single dollar, and the rates charged were the same as had been charged by the other offices. His attention had been drawn to the receipt containing the words "per agreement;" this he could not understand for there was none whatever. The accounts were sent to the Inspector, who forwarded them to Ottawa, where they were audited and the rates put in them that the Department allowed, and some of them did not repay the first cost of the paper, they were so low. Once his clerk informed him that the Inspector had complained the charges were too high. A schedule was sent from Ottawa, and his clerk brought it to witness, who told him to examine it, but on no account to make any statement or do anything that could be construed into an agreement, should the Inspector ask for one. His clerk afterwards reported that the schedule was fair and reasonable. Witness never knew that the work was increased in any respect, nor had he ever any idea that the increase was to put any money in his pocket. The orders were sent in from day to day, and were perfectly voluntary on the part of the Inspector. So uncertain was he about their continuance that he never bought presses or stock with which to fill the orders, but gave the major part of the work to Chubb & Co., long established stationers and printers. Had there been any contract between witness and the Government, he would have imported his own materials and had the profits from it as well as the other had a right to. The orders were sent to him for printing from November, 1863, until December, 1875, when they suddenly stopped. He never enquired as to the cause of the stoppage, though his clerk and Chubb complained of it. He told them there was no contract, and the Government could do precisely what they saw fit. Witness informed the Committee that there was no moral, legal, personal or political claim that he had on the Government, and therefore he had no right to say anything about the loss of the printing, and he did not to anybody until he came to Ottawa, in 1876, when, after receiving two strongly remonstrative letters from Chubb & Co., who found themselves with a large supply of special paper on hand, he asked Mr. Mackenzie if he knew that he had had the printing and that it had been stopped, to which the Premier said yes. Witness explained Mr. Chubb's case to Mr. Mackenzie, and later to Mr. Huntington, and suggested whether something could not be done to take the stock off Mr. Chubb's hands. After much hesitation something to that end was done. Witness said that was the whole transaction. There was no correspondence or papers to be produced. When the work was sent to his office, he was under the impression that he was acting entirely within the law, and his position was not challengeable. Indeed so far as the custom in New Brunswick was, he believed he had a claim for the printing on which he could have insisted. His paper had established a right to consideration and he felt when the work was sent to him that nothing wrong had been done. However, he had never intimated to anyone that he had a claim. He believed the character of his paper, as well as his own reputation, as a public man was such that nobody could impute anything to him. He, however, declared and vowed that if he had to vote upon a precisely similar case, he would say it was inexpedient and improper.

TURNING THE TABLES.

It will be seen from the following, which we take from the Hamilton *Times'* Ottawa correspondence, that Messrs. Anglin and Norris are not the only members of the house who have jeopardized their seats:—

"A precedent which it is possible Mr. Anglin will cite in his favor will be the celebrated Bell case, tried some years ago. Mr. Bell was member for Russell, and part proprietor of the Ottawa *Citizen*, which grew lustly on the ample pap fed to it from the Government coffers. The matter was brought up before Parliament and referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, of which Mr. Rose (now Sir John Rose) was Chairman. The facts were enquired into, and proved as alleged, but the Committee reported that Mr. Bell had not vacated his seat, and acquitted him of all the charges. There are other cases which also appear to have a direct bearing upon the Anglin matter.

It is rumored that a charge can be brought against Mr. Currier, M. P., for having been interested in the *Citizen* Publishing Company before it was incorporated. It is said that it can be proved that he is still a partner in a hardware firm which contracts with the Government for the supply of goods. It is charged that he also filled a $10,000 contracts for lumber for the late Government. This, if true, could not now be urged, as a general election has since taken place.

As the Tories have begun to amuse themselves by moving for writs in those counties where the members are alleged to have had contracts with the Government, it is rumored that writs will be moved for in a number of constituencies where the members have vacated their seats by being interested in newspapers which have received public money from the Government. There are Mr. Currier, of Ottawa, who holds stock in the *Citizen*, Mr. Stephenson, of Kent, who owns the Chatham *Planet*; Mr. Desjardins, of the *Canadian*; Sir John Macdonald, who holds stock in the *Mail*; and Mr. Bowell, who is interested in the Belleville *Intelligencer*, since this Parliament was elected, Mr. Wallace, of Norfolk and others. It is said there are clear cases against seven Conservative members, and that they will all have the opportunity of showing cause why writs should not be issued for new elections in their constituencies."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Friday April 13th.

After routine business,

Mr. MACKENZIE moved "That during the remainder of the session Government business shall have precedence on Wednesdays."

Several Government bills were then advanced a stage.

Mr. CARTWRIGHT moved the House into Committee of Supply.

Mr. T. N. GIBBS moved an amendment declaring that the course pursued by the Finance Minister with regard to the last Government loan was unwise and inexpedient, and that it had resulted in a large pecuniary loss to the Treasury. He went on to say that notwithstanding the many calculations which had been made, the actual net result of the loan was not yet known.

Mr. CARTWRIGHT began by expressing his pleasure that the member for South Ontario had afforded him an opportunity of dealing with the whole question of the late loan, and said that he was prepared to defend the Government policy on that matter fairly and squarely without reservation or limitation. He showed that the mover of the resolution had based his charge that the loan had not been so advantageous as it should have been on temporary accidental quotations, which lasted only a few days, and were no reliable indication of the real state of the market.

The discussion was continued by Dr. TUPPER, Mr. MILLS, Sir JOHN, Mr. MACKENZIE and others.

The division was taken with the following result:—For the amendment—60; contra, 111; majority for the Government, 51.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—It is rumored that Mr. Currier, M. P. for Ottawa, will resign his seat in the Commons, his firm having a lumber contract with the Government.

—The Government will put on a large force of men on Monday to clear out the Rideau Canal basin. This will furnish work for a number of the unemployed workingmen.

—It is said there is good ground for proceeding against Alonzo Wright, M. P. for Ottawa County. His wife owns a drill shed rented to the Government for $600 per annum, for which Mr. Wright, however, has given receipts for payments. It is quite possible that he can be reached. Mr. Laurier at first intended to include him in the Currier motion, but it was decided to make a separate one of it if it was proceeded with.

—Nova Scotia is safe on the Great Seal question. The British Crown law officers have decided that the Queen's warrant was merely directory and that non-compliance with it does not render the old seal illegal or the documents on which it was used invalid. So those who were married under the old seal remain married and all the evils which it was feared would result from the non use of the new seal vanish.

—A factious motion was brought up yesterday to the effect that O'Donoghue, of Red River insurrection and Fenian raid notoriety, should be placed on the same footing, as regards amnesty, as were Riel and Lepine. That the motion was unnecessary and factious is evident from the fact that O'Donoghue is now practically in the same position as Riel and Lepine—that is, banished. Were he amnestied, as they were, he could not return to Canada until 1880, so that his position at present would in no way be bettered by the passage of Mr. Costigan's motion.

—In referring to the Anglin debate, the Montreal *Star*, in its Ottawa jottings, says: "Mr. Rymal, who followed, undoubtedly made *the* speech of the day. Mr. Joe Rymal is what is usually called a born orator. His speeches are by no means polished, but he wastes no words. His logic is of the irrefutable stamp, and the images supplied by his fertile imagination are always apt and fresh—if not in themselves, at least in their application. This veteran party politician wields great influence on the younger members on his side of the House."

PROF. TYNDALL'S WARNING.

In concluding an address to the students of University College (London) Prof. Tyndall, who is unquestionably one of the most indefatigable brain workers of our country, said, "take care of your health. Imagine Hercules as oarsman in a rotten boat; what can he do there but by the very force of his stroke expedite the ruin of his craft. Take care of the timbers of your boat." The distinguished scientist's advice is equally valuable to all workers. We are apt to devote all our energies to wielding the oars, our strokes fall firm and fast, but few of us examine or even think of the condition of our boats until the broken or rotten timbers suddenly give way and we find ourselves the victims of a calamity which could have been easily avoided by a little forethought. What began with a slight fracture, or perhaps even a careless exposure to disorganizing influence ends in the complete wreck of the life-boat. The disease which began with a slight headache or an undue exposure to cold terminates in death, unless its progress be checked, and the disease remedied. The first symptoms, the herald of disease, give no indication of the strength of the oncoming foe, and the victim trusts that his old ally, Nature, will exterminate the invader. But disease is an old general and accomplishes his most important movements in the night-time, and some bright morning finds him in possession of one of the strongest fortifications; and when he has once gained a stronghold in the system Nature ignominiously turns traitor and secretly delivers up the whole physical armory to the invader. Like the wily politician, Nature is always on the strongest side, and the only way to insure his support is to keep your vital powers in the ascendent. Keep your strongest forts—the stomach and liver—well guarded. Do not let the foe enter the arterial highways, for he will steal or destroy your richest merchandise and impoverish your kingdom. To repulse the attacks of the foe you can find no better ammunition than Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines. (Full directions accompany each package.) His Pleasant Purgative Pellets are especially effective in defending the stomach and liver. His Golden Medical Discovery for purifying the blood and arresting coughs and colds. If you wish to become familiar with the most approved system of defense in this warfare, the history of the foe's method of invasion, together with complete instructions for keeping your forces in martial order in time of peace, you can find no better manual of these tactics than "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," by R. V. Pierce, M. D., of the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., Sent to any address on receipt of $1,50. It contains over nine hundred pages, illustrated by two hundred and eighty-two engravings and colored plates and elegantly bound in cloth and gilt.

—Militiamen who served in the war of 1812-15, and have not sent in their claims, are notified to forward them to the Militia Department by the 10th of May, or they will be too late to participate in the grant.

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THIS EVENING

MR. GEO. HANWELL

And a portion of the Belleville A. D. A., assisted by

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TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM.

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BUFFALO BILL.

Admission 25 and 50 Cents.

Seats secured without extra charge at Harrison's Music Store.

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THE FIRST MEETING

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—ON—

Wednesday, 2nd May, 1877,

At 11 o'clock, a.m., when important business will be brought before the meeting, viz.,

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Belleville, April 14th, 1877. dlw&wtd

TO RENT OR SELL,

THAT desirable house situated on William Street, Taylor's Hill. For particulars enquire of the owner, on the premises.

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NEW HATS!

DIRECT FROM NEW YORK,

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THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

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Including everything that can be found in

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The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.

A Call Solicited.

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April 12, 1877.

Ladies' Umbrellas!!

MARVELLOUSLY CHEAP!

Zanilla Umbrellas, only 50c each. Silk in proportion.

LADIES' CORSETS.

Dollar Corsets for 50c each.
$1,50 to $2 Corsets for 75c each.

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VERY CHEAP INDEED, AT THE

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NEW CARPETS

—IN—

BRUSSELS, WOOL,
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TAPESTY, UNION, &c.

—ALSO—

CURTAINS, in Lace and Rep.

SHEETINGS, TABLE LINENS,
TOWELLINGS, WINDOW HOLLAND
CRUMB CLOTHS, &c., &c.

We invite the attention of our customers to the above goods on account of their present low price.

Geo. Fitchie & Co.,

IMPORTERS.

April 10, 1877.

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YOU will find a good assortment of

TOOLS

AT LOWEST PRICES,

AT CHOWN'S.

ALL KINDS OF

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE

Manufactured, and

Roofing, Eave-Troughing, Gas and Water Fitting, Plumbing and Bell Hanging

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Our Motto is, CHEAP FOR CASH,

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361 Front St.,
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A GOOD BUILDING PLOT of Fifteen Acres. Land loamy and adapted for garden purposes, lying on Station Street, Second Concession of Thurlow, a little over a quarter of a mile from the station. For particulars see the owner on the premises.

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Belleville, April 8, 1877. 1md&w

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NEW STEAM LAUNDRY

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SHIRT FACTORY

294 FRONT STREET.

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TREES. TREES.

NOW is the time to get out Shade Trees, Soft and Hard Maple, Evergreens of all kinds furnished and set out. I have an experience of twenty years in this business, and can guarantee satisfaction. Orders left at this office will receive prompt attention.

THOMAS JONES.

April 12th, 1877.

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GREAT

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The Goods are of the Very First Quality,

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LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3.50
" PASTRY " "	4.00
" GRAHAM " "	3.30
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	3.50
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per	1.40
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.30
BRAN, " "	90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	50
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1.20 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.

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WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of

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An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.

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April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. F. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&wlm

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Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

And Practical Wig Maker

At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.

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All Orders Promptly attended to.

Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

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We have received the greater portion of our SPRING STOCK OF

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Trunks, Valises, Travelling Bags, &c.,

And as we wish to prove to our Customers that the advantages of the CASH SYSTEM are not all on our side, we invite inspection of QUALITY AND PRICES.

Goods will be shewn with pleasure whether intending to purchase at the time or not.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, April 5th, 1877.

N. B.—LADIES GOAT BUTTON BOOTS Received To-day, Extra Value.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORANGES and LEMONS TO-DAY.

WANTED.

A GOOD STEADY MAN, as Gardner and Coachman. Apply to

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1½ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
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Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

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Rev. J. W. Burke, B. A., Rector.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST BELLEVILLE.
Service—Sunday 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Service Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. Communion, 3rd Sunday in the month.
Rev. R. S. Forneri, B. A., Incumbent.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, STATION ROAD.
Service, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Holy Communion, first Sunday in the month. Service every Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free.
Rev. J. R. Jones, Incumbent.

ROMAN CATHOLIC (ST. MICHAEL'S).

CHURCH STREET.
Morning Mass at 7:30 a. m.; High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3·30 p. m.
Rev. James Farrelly, V. G.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.

BRIDGE STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Lecture, Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 7:30. Strangers met at the door and escorted to seats.

WEST BELLEVILLE.
Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Evening 7 p. m. Seats free.

KINGSTON ROAD CHURCH.
Sunday School, 10 a. m. Afternoon Service, 3 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. E. B. Harper, Rev. S. P. Rose, Ministers.

BLECKER STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Seats free
Rev. T. H. Cullen, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL METHODIST.

CORNER OF CHURCH AND GREAT ST. JAMES STS.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m.

UNIVERSITY CHURCH, NEAR ALBERT COLLEGE.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 7:00 p. m., and Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
Rev. B. Lane, B. A., Pastor.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.

Morning Service at 11 a. m.; Evening Service at 7. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 Weekly Prayer Meeting, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. John Burton, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN (ST. ANDREWS).

CHURCH STREET.
Services—Sunday, 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. Sabbath School, 3 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7 p. m.
Mission Sabbath School, at Northcott's School House, at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. W. McLean, M. A., Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Hotel Street.
Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2½ p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ p. m.
Rev. A. O. Cossar, Pastor.

BIBLE CHRISTIAN.

Services—Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6½ p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. in the new Bible Christian Church, Front Street, West.
Rev. J. Wickett, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Coleman Street, West Belleville.
Morning service at 11 o'clock; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday School, at 3 p. m.
Rev. Alex. Turnbull, Pastor.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express,	6.50 a m
No. Express,	6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 14.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Free Hotel.—Eight tramps were provided with accommodations in the free hotel last night.

Town Council.—A regular meeting of the Town Council will be held on Monday evening at the usual hour and place.

A Run Off.—The engine and two cars of a western bound freight train, ran off the track at Brighton, on Wednesday morning and delayed the express three hours.

Notice to Anglers, &c.—The close season for bass is from the 15th of this month till the 15th of June, and for trout from the 15th of September to the 1st of January.

Taken Off.—The schooner "Wanderer," which ran on the beach at Presqu, Isle, late last fall, has been taken off. She sustained but little injury, and will soon be ready to resume work.

Early Sowing.—From several sections we hear of farmers having begun sowing. This is somewhat early for this work as the ground as a rule is as yet damp and cold.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

Vestry Meeting.—The adjourned vestry meeting of St. Thomas' Church Congregation, will be held in the Town Hall on Monday afternoon at five o'clock.

The Contested Election.—His Honor Judge Sherwood will give his decision in the Bleecker Ward contested election case on Monday next.

Chancery Court.—The Spring Chancery Sittings will open here on Thursday the 26th inst. before His Honor Chancellor Spragge.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as the best, has complied with the popular demand, and reduced from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Police Court.—Judgment was given in the Police Court to-day in the case of Ball vs. Butler. The case was dismissed with costs against the complainant.

Arrived.—The 2,000 feet of hose ordered by the corporation from the New York Hose Company arrived here last night. It was very much needed.

Police.—Business in police circles is dull, no arrests having been made since yesterday morning.

Launched.—The "Peerless" was launched yesterday afternoon, and her sails were "bent" last evening. A party enjoyed a cruise on her this afternoon.

Samples.—Samples of caps, belts and batons were received here to-day by the Chief of Police. When the force is supplied with new uniforms and accoutrements, the men will look "scrumptious."

Attention.—We would draw the attention of the Board of Health to the condition of some of the yards on the Eastern bank of the river below the lower bridge. They should receive attention at once.

Discharged.—The two men who were arrested yesterday morning whilst lying drunk on Railway Station Street, were discharged yesterday afternoon and proceeded to their destination— St. Paul, Minnesota, by last evening's train.

Notice.—A meeting of the dairymen of Eastern Ontario for the purpose of organizing the Dairymen's Association of Eastern Ontario, will be held in the Town Hall here, on Wednesday, May 2nd.

The Theatre.—To-night Harry Lindley and his company will appear in "Buffalo Bill" and "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room. The party will have the assistance of several able amateurs, and we hope they will be rewarded with a good house.

Congregational Church.—Mr. Douglas Russell will preach in the Congregational Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Russell has just returned from an evangelistic tour through Australia, New Zealand and other places, and is now on his way home to Scotland. All seats free.

"Daniel's Band."—The evangelistic meeting in the hall of Daniel's Band will be conducted to-morrow evening by Mr. Douglas Russell. The meeting will commence immediately after the close of the different churches—about twenty minutes past eight.

Albert University.—Alex. M. Ross, M. D., M. A., &c., &c., has presented to Albert University a valuable scientific library of about two hundred volumes. This he promises to replenish annually. The College authorities greatly appreciate the gift of this distinguished naturalist.

Free Concert.—The first free frog concert of the season is reported this morning by the residents of the Trenton road. The voices, though not in the best possible trim, sent forth their melody on the zephyr breeze, and soothed and charmed the hearts of the neighborhood. The stiffness after a winter's rest will doubtless soon wear off.

The Yacht Club.—As the yachting season may be said to have now commenced, it is about time that the Bay of Quinte Yacht Club took steps toward procuring a club house for holding meetings. It is also advisable that a meeting should be called at an early day for the purpose of making the organization a solid one.

Renovating.—Mr. Monaghan, lessee of the Street Railway, has had all the cars on the line repainted, varnished and otherwise improved. Cushions have also been placed in the seats, the comfort of the patrons of the line being greatly enhanced thereby. We are pleased to make the announcement of this improvement as well as to state that the receipts are growing larger every day.

Lively.—Following the example of other towns, Madoc comes to the front with a charivari party, whose doings are narrated in the "Review" as follows:—"The fact of a respectable couple getting married a few days ago, was made the occasion for two or three evenings in succession, of a number of young men and boys making night hideous with the noise of guns, tin horns &c. Such proceedings are a disgrace to any place within the bounds of civilization, and no man or boy laying any claim to respectability, should be found having anything to do with such an affair."

A Sell.—The following paragraph appears in yesterday's issue of the "Daily News":—We are informed that such is the luxuriousness with which stores are fitted up now-a-days that a lady made a curious mistake in Belleville a few days ago. She was a stranger from Tyendinaga, and had occasion to go into a drug store in the City of the Bay. While there, the street cars came along, and wishing to catch them, she made a rush to what she supposed was the door. She noticed as she went that another woman was coming in an opposite direction; and called to her to stand out of the way, but the woman wouldn't do. Ultimately the storekeeper went up and relieved his customer from her dilemma by showing that she had been walking up towards a large mirror in an opposite direction from the door.

Kingston Items.—The medical examinations will be resumed on Tuesday.—The marsh at the depot has been burning several days.—Two or three first class accidents may soon be expected to occur, as the boys of the city insist on riding on the cow-catcher of the engine which draws the freight cars to the city.—We note with pleasure that building operations are very active at present, and there is great demand for first class men.—The steamer *Algerian* of the Royal Mail Line, is being supplied with a new shaft.—Sergeant Major Clark of A. Battery was yesterday presented with a long service and good conduct medal.—Mrs. O'Neil, of Storington, whilst driving to the city yesterday sustained severe injuries by falling out of the waggon.—Prof. Mackerras delivered an interesting lecture last evening on the theatre.—A. Battery was out for a march yesterday morning in summer costume.—Matters in marine circles are looking up as several schooners are preparing for work.

Shooting.—The North Hastings *Review* furnishes the following:—As Mr. Geo. McKilligan, postmaster of Thanet, was returning home along the Snow Road, from delivering a load of hay at Mr. Thwaite's, about 8 o'clock on Friday evening last, he was shot at by some party from the side of the road. The ball passed through his hat, making a clean hole through it from side to side, and slightly drawing blood. As Mr. McKilligan is a gentleman highly respected by all who are acquainted with him no reason can be assigned for this attempt at murder except for the object of robbery. It is to be hoped the guilty party will be discovered and receive the punishment he so richly deserves.

Body Found.—On the 9th of December last we chronicled the announcement that Christopher Robillard, whilst engaged with others in chopping wood on Big Island, cut his foot badly with an axe, and decided on coming to Belleville. His companions escorted him part of the way, but he, thinking that he would make a short cut, walked on the ice intending to go to Ferry Point and then home. He did not reach here, and enquiries being made as to his whereabouts and nothing having been heard of him, it was supposed he had gone west, as it was said that he had been in Trenton. Yesterday afternoon the body of the unfortunate young man was found in the bay south of Cow Island near Page & Co's. Mill with the face downward. The body was taken to Ferry Point where an inquest was held.

That Stabbing Affray.—From a gentleman who resides in Marmora, and who visited Belleville yesterday, we have learned the following particulars concerning the stabbing affray which took place in McWilliam's Hotel in that village on Thursday evening:—A man named James Cooper, a little before six o'clock, came into the hotel with an empty jug for the purpose of procuring liquor. As he was very much inebriated at the time, the landlord very properly refused to let him have any; still Cooper remained in the house. Shortly after John O'Donoughue came in, and seeing Cooper with the jug, and doubtless thinking that there was liquor in it, attempted to gain possession of it. Cooper resisted and a struggle ensued, both parties eventually going into the hall, where O'Donoghue stabbed his antagonist five times – once in the face, once on the back of the head, twice on the side, and once near the heart. Cooper lost a considerable quantity of blood, as his wounds bled very freely. Medical assistance was at once summoned, and the unfortunate man's condition attended to. Such was the excitement caused by O'Donoghue's act, that had it not been for the declarations of the doctors at the time that the wounds would not prove fatal, the assailant would, we are assured, have been lynched. O'Donoghue was brought before a bench of magistrates and remanded to prison to await the result of his actions. He was brought to town yesterday and lodged in jail. Cooper is improving, but is very weak.

ALBERT COLLEGE MERIT ROLL.

HILARY TERM—1877.

ALEXANDRA COLLEGE.

CLASS I.

1.	Miss L. Williams	91 2

CLASS II.

1.	Miss I. A. Martin	88 7
2.	" M. L. Gosnel	84 6
3.	" H. A. Roney	81.5
4.	" L. Baker	81
5.	" S. M. Ferguson	80

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

CLASS I.

1.	W. P. Ferguson	91.5

CLASS II.

1.	G. M. Yerex	86 5
1.	M. I. Magill	85 6
3.	F. W. Watts	83 4
4.	H. A. Morden H. S. Taylor	82.5
6.	G. M. Morton	81.3
7.	Miss E Bowsley J. W. McPhail	81 1
9.	W. Beaty	80.6
10.	G. Wattam	80.4
11.	D. B. S. Crothers	80,1
12.	Allen Burns M. DeMill	80

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

ECCLESIASTICAL PRONOUNCIAMENTO

BURNED TO DEATH.

ARREST OF A MURDERER

THE LOUISIANA CASE.

RUMORED SHIPWRECK

Supposed Case of Incendiarism.

MISCELLANEOUS.

London, April 14.—The *Times* publishes what it pronounces a most extraordinary address to the Archbishops and Bishops of the Church of England urged by the Dean of S. Paul's, the Dean of York and others and deprecating Parliamentary encroachment on the spiritual power of the church.

Harrisburg, Pa. April 14.—Two children of John Price poured kerosene on a stove yesterday and were burned to death.

Washington, April 14.—Special agents have arrested George Douglass suspected of having murdered mail carrier Robinson near Petersburg W. Va. His motive was robbery.

Charleston, S. C., April 14.—A vague rumor reports the S. S. *Gulf Stream* which left on Thursday for New York has been wrecked off Hatteras and all hands lost. It is disbelieved.

New York April 14.—A New Orleans special to the *Herald* says:—The Nicholls Legislature in caucus last night developed an almost unanimous sentiment favoring the acceptance of settlement offered by the Commission.

Detectives passed through this city yesterday with witnesses who will give startling testimony concerning the burning of Fox's Theatre, Philadelphia, on February 25th. The fire is charged to incendiarism.

The Grand Jury refused to indict Rev. Mr. McCaffrey, charged with kissing a lady of his congregation.

Kennedy & Co., suspended brokers, have sued David Dows, merchant; W. L. Scott, President of the Canada Southern R. R.; John F. Tracy, late President of the Chicago & Rock Island R. R; Abraham Bayliss, broker; Ex-Governor Curtin, of Pennsylvania, and two others to recover $1,500,000 alleged to be a margin due on North West common stock, which plaintiffs were carrying at the time of Wednesday's panic, the above parties having formed a pool to bull North West stock.

The *World's* St. John special reports this year's seal fishing most promising. One vessel returned with 42,000 seals, worth $126,000 after a 26 days trip.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

WAR INEVITABLE.

Russian Troops already Across the Pruth.

AUSTRIA WILL MEDIATE.

PALESTINE TO BE OCCUPIED BY RUSSIA.

THE JEWS TO SUPPLY THE MONEY.

Vienna, April 14.—A Council of War is being held in St. Petersburgh. Declaration of war against Turkey is expected on Tuesday night. The Czar will join the army on the 24th inst. It is reported that the Russian advance troops have already crossed the Pruth.

London, April 14.—Business on the Stock Exchange is very much depressed. Turkish and Russian securities touched the lowest point reached since the outbreak of the insurrection in 1875.

Paris, April 14.—There was a thorough panic on the Bourse shortly after the opening, but a quieter feeling prevails now.

London April 14.—A St. Petersburg telegram says:—"War is regarded in official circles as inevitable, but Russian military measures do not indicate an immediate opening of the campaign. It is believed Austria will make an effort at pacification."

London, April 14.—A Vienna despatch says Montenegro will remain on the defensive. The conflict with the Miridites is owing to their refusal to furnish the usual contingent for war against Montenegro.

New York, April 14.—Reports of a war panic in Paris and London with decline in British funds and American bonds occasioned a rise in gold this morning to 6⅝. Later it declined to 6⅜.

The Turkish note uses very strong language. Five points of Count Shouvaloff's declaration are answered *seriatim*.

New York, April 14.—The *Graphic's* London special announces the Russian army has crossed the Pruth and the fleets of the Czar are moving. It is believed that the Holy Land will be occupied to stimulate excitement of the fanatical Russian people. It is rumored that an invitation will be extended to the Jews of the world to settle in Palestine, and that Jewish money lenders are under bonds to supply Russia with funds, if Palestine is permanently relieved from Turkish rule. Vienna and Berlin bourses are depressed.

This and That.

—The Brockville "Recorder" says that several new cheese factories have been opened in the back townships.

—Some scoundrel shot at a passenger train on the Air Line, near Springfield, the other day.

—The exports of fresh beef continue to increase. The quantity shipped to Great Britain from New York and Philadelphia in March amounted to 6,707,855 lbs, valued at $590,085, making a total in nine months of 29,908,810 pounds, valued at $2,677,383.

—The Lincoln election scrutiny is making very little progress in the way of knocking off votes, although a great number of names have been attacked by the respondent. Out of about 150 cases disposed of during the last two weeks nearly every one has been decided against the respondent.

—Two Manchester confectioners have been fined $25 each for selling sweets colored by a poison called chromate of lead. The object of the defendants in using the poison was to produce a bright yellow color. The particular kind to which the poison was added was called "kiss me love." The city analyst found that each ounce of candy contained two eights of a grain of poison.

OUR PUZZLES.

☞ All correspondence relating to this department must be addressed, "Puzzle Editor, Box 336, Belleville." The author's name must accompany all contributions.

NUMERICAL ENIGMA.

I am composed of 21 letters.
My 1, 12, 4, 11 is a girl's name.
My 14, 3, 7, 4 is an number.
My 2, 9, 20 is a adverb.
My 17, 19, 5, 8, 21 is a beast of prey.
My 18, 15, 7, 11 is a pronoun.
My 14, 2, 10, 13 is an animal.
My 13, 10, 20, 12 is an insect.
My whole is the name of an American poet.

ENIGMA.

A portion of what is used in pursuit of
the game
You are to find out by your eloquent fame.
This, when beheaded, the body will show
What we on our schoolfellows often bestow.

P. P. L.

ENIGMA.

I serve the dead; the dead serve me;
Without the dead, dead I should be,
Unless I turned from things so mute
To some more lucrative pursuit;
For by the dead alone I live,
And death doth me existence give;
So death, you see, doth me befriend—
My foe he'll be, though, at the end.

DECAPITATION.

A foreign spice behead, and see
What I have in my heart for thee.

GEOGRAPHICAL QUESTIONS.

1. What Canadian town will name a delicious fruit?
2. What island will name a wild animal?
3. What body of water will name a kind of grain?

ANSWERS TO PUZZLES OF MARCH 10TH.

Enigma.—Shell.
Numerical Enigma.—Photography.
Anagram.—Empress of India.

Special notice.—In order to increase the interest which our many friends have taken in our puzzles we have concluded to offer the following prizes:—

For best set of six original puzzles we will give a large photograph of Her Majesty the Queen, valued at five dollars.

For the second best six original puzzles The Ontario Chronicle for one year.

For the greatest number of correct solutions to puzzles appearing up to June 30th a chromo valued at three dollars.

For the next highest number of correct solutions The Ontario Chronicle for six months.

All puzzles entered for the prize must be in our hands within two weeks after this notice appears, and to be marked "Entered for the prize."

☞ No notice will be taken of any puzzles or solutions unless accompanied by the author's name; contributors may, however, adopt any *nom de plume* they wish.

CHAT WITH CONTRIBUTORS.

Jack (Stirling)—Solutions to puzzles 1, 4, 5 and the Little Ones Puzzles 2 and 3 correct. Your question will appear next week.

Jennie Head (Colborne)—Solutions correct.

Addie Palmer (Shannonville.)—Solutions correct.

Geo. Reynolds.—Solutions correct.

A Yankee Woman.—Contributions will appear next week. Thanks.

The Ingersoll Oddfellows intend celebrating the 58th anniversary of Oddfellowship by a grand concert on the 25th inst.

Dr. William Osgoode Page, of No. 255 Fourth avenue, New York, suffered for many years with stiffness and intense pain in his knee, and at times was unable to walk, caused by an injury received on the Hudson River Railroad. Tried every remedy that skill or science could devise, without benefit Giles' Liniment Iodide of Ammonia, gave instant relief and complete cure.

"A DROWNING MAN WILL CATCH AT A STRAW.

If he catch it, it will do him no good. Thousands of people, who having neglected colds and coughs until they have become dangerous, will rush to almost every nostrum for relief. This is why so many experiments are tried by the sufferers. Go to your Druggist, buy a bottle of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, and use it with confidence. It will benefit at once and ultimately cure. It is no straw, it is a cable well-tried; hold on to it and be saved.

50 cents and $1 a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

☞ Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan' Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used: It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical; J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have cold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

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CUPS AND SAUCERS,
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AT VERY LOW PRICES.
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Belleville, April 13. 1877.

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Beg to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST, Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse, With a well selected stock of FINE GROCERIES, HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS, AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

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Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

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A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

R. COSTELLO.

Insolvent Act of 1869 and 1875.

In the Matter of ROBERT WADSWORTH of the Town of Belleville,
An Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power vested in me as Assignee of the estate of the above-named Insolvent, I will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at my office, Number One, Temple Chambers, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on MONDAY the THIRTIETH day of APRIL, A.D. 1877, at Twelve O'Clock, noon, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named Insolvent, and of myself as Assignee of his estate of, in and to the lands and premises hereinafter described; that is to say, all and singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Three on the West side of Octavia Street, in the said Town of Belleville, according to a plan of part of Lot Two in the First Concession of the Township of Thurlow, made for the late Edmund Murney by J. J. Haslett, P.L.S., and registered in the Registry Office for the County of Hastings on the sixth day of August, A.D. 1851. There is a large two storey Brick House on the premises.

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IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS,
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And continuing until the entire stock is CLOSED OUT.

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And off he strode, leaving the lovers alone, getting over the distance in remarkable time, and presenting his wrinkled, weather-beaten old face in Mayberry & Thurston's private office, where Mr. Mayberry sat alone, with rigid face and keen, troubled eyes, that, nevertheless, lighted at the sight of his old friend.

"I'm glad to see you, Wilmington; sit down. The sight of a man who has not come to reproach me is indeed a comfort."

But Mr. Wilmington did not sit down. He crossed the room to the table at which Mr. Mayberry sat among a hopeless array of papers.

"There is no use wasting words, Mayberry, at a time like this. Did you know your son has asked my Winnie to marry him?"

Mr. Mayberry's face lighted up a second, then the gloom returned.

"If my son had a fortune at his command, as I thought he had yesterday at this time, I would say, 'God speed you in your wooing of Winnie Wilmington.' As it is, for the girl's sake, I disapprove."

"So you haven't a pound over and above, eh, Mayberry?"

"There will be nothing—less than nothing. I don't know that I really care so much for myself, but Ernest—it is a terrible thing to happen him at the very beginning of his career."

Mr. Wilmington smiled gleefully.

"Good. Neither do I care for myself, but for Winnie, my little Winnie. I tell you, Mayberry, perhaps you will wonder if I am crazy, but I'll agree to settle a quarter of a million on Winnie the day she marries your boy. And I'll lend you as much more if it'll be any use, and I'll start the boy for himself if you say so. Eh?'

Mr. Mayberry looked at him in speechless bewilderment.

Wilmington went on.

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Mr. Mayberry took the little dried-up hand almost reverentially, his voice hoarse and thick with emotion.

"Wilmington, God will reward you for this. May he, a thousandfold!"

Wilmington winked away a suspicious moisture on his eyelashes.

"You see, it all comes of that dinner, old fellow. You acted like a charitable Christian gentleman, and between us we'll make the boy and Winnie as happy as they deserve, eh?"

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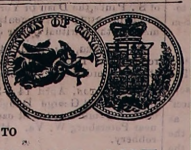

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THE TOWN COUNCIL AND BLEECKER WARD.

DID I PINCH HIS CORNS?

To the Editor of the ONTARIO.

Dear Sir,—Your correspondent "Honesty and Bleecker Ward," appears to be wonderfully exercised over the effects of an innocent little letter of mine, which you were kind enough to publish in your paper, I am indeed pleased to see that some person has taken my remarks home; and I do trust that the councillors of this Ward will consider it a duty they owe to the ratepayers to at once investigate these matters, and in future to guard the interests of the people better than they have in times gone past. While treating your correspondent with all reasonable courtesy and respect, still I must ask a short space in your valuable paper to remove a cloud of dust which he so cunningly tries to throw into the eyes of your readers; and, fortunately it will not require a very lengthy article to do that. I must quote a small portion of his letter: "He wilfully states what he knows is not true." Now, Sir, how applicable this is to "Honesty and Bleecker Ward's" remarks. Every reader of your paper, more especially the residents of this Ward, can prove the utter absurdity and fallacy of his remarks. I shall now call the attention of the public to a few of the more glaring of his misrepresentations, which will suffice to show that "Fair Play and Bleecker Ward" was not so very far astray after all. So, now, reader, be kind enough to accompany me, as I glide swiftly over the surface of his letter, and now, and then, pause at some of the more reckless of his statements. Let us think well over:

> "And after all what is a lie,
> 'Tis but the truth in Masquerade."

He says that new sidewalks have been constantly in course of erection. Even so, admitting this to be *partially* true, he did not possess "honesty" enough to acknowledge that many of them are in such a wretched condition that pedestrians find it difficult, if not absolutely dangerous, to walk on them. I refer your readers to those living on Emily, Brassy, Victoria and Bleecker Streets for proof of this. Perhaps your correspondent would be surprised to learn that some of the ratepayers have become so tired of waiting for the Council to take action, and so disgusted with the disgraceful accommodation afforded them, that they have consented to lay the sidewalks along their respective residences, free of all expense, should the town barely supply the lumber necessary for so doing. "Honesty," &c., (dis should have been prefixed) says "We are well supplied with lamps." Could anything be more absurd as well as untrue? I can but imperfectly imagine what the inhabitants living in this ward thought of such a wilful misrepresentation. We have some six or eight lamp-posts. The lamps are kept in such a miserable condition and are so unfrequently lit, that so far we have received little or no benefit therefrom. I defy your correspondent to prove anything to the contrary. His ludicrous communication "finds not here an end." Its author apparently never tired, or ashamed of making himself appear ridiculous in the mind of even moderately well-informed people, goes on his way, and such a way he goes. It is singular to reflect that in the entire length and breadth of his letter, he has not told the truth *once*. Acting on the advice of this would-be critic, I went to the G. T. R. depot on Saturday, on the arrival of the midday eastern bound express, and surely a more disgraceful state of affairs never existed. In justice to Mr. Monahan and his men, however, I retract the charge that I made in my last. The drivers of the street-cars did keep at a respectable distance, and were not engaged in the scuffle for passengers that took place. I cite an instance that occurred, and the authorities would not be doing their duty did they neglect to mete out to these busmen the punishment they deserve. A lady in stepping on the platform from the cars was accosted by busman No 1 in a rude manner, who solicited her to ride with him. No sooner had he spoken than busman No. 2 came up, literally caught hold of her baggage, and was carrying it to the bus when she informed them that she expected some one to meet her. Fortunately for her, but not quite the same for her tormentors, the expected one arrived, found out how matters stood, and quickly learned the names of the unruly drivers. I am informed this is of common occurrence. Precisely the same things were witnessed that have been dozens—yea, hundreds of times before—scenes which I pictured in my former letter, and which I here deem as unnecessary to repeat. If, as "Honesty," &c., states, a by-law was passed prohibiting hackmen and others soliciting passengers, why, may I ask, was this never enforced? I fear this has become a dead letter, like a number of others which the Council has passed. Your correspondent contradicts my statement in regard to disorderly houses on Emily street. It is well seen he was too much ashamed of his untruthful remarks to offer his name. He chose a meaner plan, and that was to offer himself as an anonymous scribbler, and give contradiction for each and all of my statements without furnishing any proof, and expect your readers are as green as he, and that they would accept his remarks as truth. This will not do, as I dare say he has found out to his sorrow ere this. The ratepayers of Bleecker Ward are not to be thus hoodwinked. I re-assert, there is a row of disorderly houses on the above-named street. I can prove this by again referring you to the inhabitants in the immediate vicinity. I again challenge him to prove I am wrong. Strange as it may seem, he has not said a word about the protection our vigilant police force affords us. In conclusion, I beg to refer the readers of the ONTARIO to the residents of Bleecker Ward as to whether my version or that of "Honesty and Bleecker Ward" is the truer one. At the meeting of the Council to-night I trust this matter will receive a careful consideration, or else how can the Councillors expect the people to confide in them another year.

Thanking you for your space, I beg to subscribe myself again,

Yours, &c.,
FAIR PLAY AND BLEECKER WARD.

HINTS TO BE REMEMBERED.

Remember to shake off and remove all dust from a black garment every time it is worn. Nothing sooner defaces a black silk poplin, or woolen than to wear it shopping, then hang it up without removing the dust. The gritty motes with which the air is filled, particularly in regions where coal is constantly used, grind and wear out any fabric. First shake both skirts and overdress faithfully. A back window is a good place to shake them from. Then take a soft old handkerchief and brush the dress with that instead of a clothes brush. See that all the dust that settles in folds and

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The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 16.

THE Northern Railway enquiry will close to-day with the examination of Mr. Angus Morrison, and the report will be prepared with all expedition.

SIR FRANCIS HINCKS writes to the Ottawa *Free Press* denying that there was any treasurer for the election fund in North Renfrew. He handled all the money himself.

THE Hamilton *Times* Ottawa correspondent says there are twenty-seven members in the Commons who could, under the strict reading of the Independence of Parliament Act, be moved against for having infringed it. Even the high-toned Domville is in a pickle, owing to the fear that a charge would be brought against him for having supplied coal to the Intercolonial.

MR. PETER MITCHELL, in the plenitude of his magnanimity, intends introducing a Bill to relieve all the members on both sides of the House from the difficulties they are said to have got into from having contracts with the Government. He is said to be disgusted with the hair-splitting conduct of the Opposition in this connection. This is very kind and considerate of Peter, but, then, it may not turn out just as we have reported it.

IT is not at all certain that Mr. Mackenzie will succeed in reaching prorogation at the date fixed—19th inst. The Opposition seem to have an organized plan of wearying the Government and exhausting their supporters. Sir John usually remains in the House until 11 o'clock, when he retires, leaving Dr. Tupper to manage the Left until midnight. Then the leadership is handed over to Mitchell, Domville and Bowell who chitter chatter to their heart's content until the House adjourns. Several more amendments are expected, and as a consequence the patience of members is well nigh exhausted.

WHEN Mr. Costigan's motion for amnesty to O'Donoghue was made last year the member for North Hastings voted against it. On Thursday last the same gentleman repeated his motion, and the member for North Hastings voted for it. The question has undergone a wonderful transformation in one year, and now the Tory organs are condemning the Government for perpetuating the ill feeling engendered by the North-West troubles by refusing to give a clear character to O'Donoghue. Only a short time ago Mr. Bowell and his Orange friends were after Riel and the other North-West rebels with unrelenting vengeance, and demanding that no mercy be shown them. But party emergencies require a somersault,—and they are equal to the task.

THE STATE OF TRADE.

The following figures from Dun, Wiman & Co.'s circular, for the quarter ending 31st March, will not materially increase the belief that a revival of business has set in. For the United States, the bankruptcy record for the first three months of 1875, 1876 and 1877 is as follows:—

Year.	No. of failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.
1875...	1,982	$43,176,953	$21,784
1876...	2,806	64,644,156	23,038
1877...	2,866	54,538,074	19,010

The record for Canada in the same periods is even more disheartening:

Year.	No. of failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.
1875...	396	$4,141,340	$10,500
1876...	477	7,418,030	15,500
1877...	572	7,576,511	13,200

The report, however, concludes with the belief that the worst is past, and that if we are favored with another good crop of agricultural produce, the remainder of the year will enable us to mark a substantial progress.

THE LATE LOAN AGAIN.

Founding our remarks on what the *Globe's* Ottawa correspondent announced, on Saturday we stated that the Opposition would not offer an amendment on the late Canadian loan. It turned out, however, that at the very time this announcement was made arrangements were complete for challenging the act. Mr. Gibbs (South Ontario) was ready when the motion was made to go into Committee of Supply to place on record the Opposition protest. He moved an amendment condemning the action of the Finance Minister in negotiating the loan, and declared that the country had, by the "bungling incapacity" of Mr. Cartwright, lost fully two per cent. of the amount of the whole loan. This was a sweeping accusation, and called forth a spirited reply from the Finance Minister. He pointed out the causes for the temporary increase in rates for small amounts of floating stocks at the time alluded to, and showed that there was no difference in the modes of negotiating the loan of 1874 and this last one. There was a difference, however, and a great difference, too, in guaranteeing securities backed by the whole British Empire and those that had simply the guarantee of Canada, and were liable to all the fluctuations of the market. As we before intimated, Mr. Cartwright was abundantly able to defend himself, and placed before the House the most convincing proof of the wisdom of the course he had pursued. Sir John even out-Heroded Herod in wild and unscrupulous assertions, and endeavored to have it appear that the Dominion had lost two hundred thousand pounds by Mr. Cartwright's transactions. He furthermore declared that the management of the late loan was a subject of ridicule in Lombard street, and that Mr. Cartwright had no business to ask advice from the London agents. The Premier was more than usually definite in his reply to the Opposition leader, and challenged him to show any authority for such allegations as he had indulged in. In defence of the late loan he fearlessly averred, (1) that the credit of Canada stands higher to day than ever; (2) that the rate of interest was lower than ever: and (3) that the loan was effected on better terms than any previous loan. These were specific points, and could be answered only by facts equally as specific. But such evidence the Opposition could not produce, and the division showed how the House regarded the transaction.

Editorial Notes.

CAPT. CUTHBERT has attached the yacht Countess of Dufferin for last year's wages as sailing master.

ROLLING skating is shortly to be introduced in Toronto.

THE demand for whiskey at Toronto has largely increased and the distilleries are running double time.

THE dry goods trade promises to be brisk this week in Toronto. Besides two or three extensive auction sales, several firms announce special sales.

A WRIT of attachment has been issued against Hon. Asa B. Foster by the Brockville & Ottawa Railway for $4,000

JUDGE LORANGER, of Montreal, has been honorably acquitted of all the charges brought against him.

THE Ocean Gem, loaded with Canadian goods for the Australian Exhibition, arrived at Melbourne on March 6th.

MISS SIMES, of Point St. Charles, was jilted by her lover and attempted suicide. Her life was spared and a reconciliation followed. All is well that ends well.

THE Toronto *Telegraph* denies that Hon. William Macdougall intends entering a suit against Norris, M.P., for $22,000, for an alleged violation of the Independence of Parliament Act.

A MAN in Hamilton was trying to shoot a dog the other day, but missed his aim and shot the daughter of the man who owned the dog. There is a chance of her recovery.

THE house and part of its contents belonging to Capt. Joseph McDermond, Port Burwell, was totally destroyed by fire on Friday morning. Loss, $1,400; insured for $600.

CHARLES CLEVELAND, a fisherman, of Dover, N. S., shot his wife and then shot himself on Thursday. Family troubles relative to property are said to be the origin of the crime.

A FIRE at St. George on Friday morning completely destroyed the foundry, machine shop, office and store rooms of Messrs. Bell & Son. Loss between $30,000 and $35,000. Insured in the Manufacturers' and Merchants' Mutual of Canada for $2,000. Cause of fire unknown.

SHOCKING DOMESTIC TRAGEDY AT HALIFAX.

DELIBERATE WIFE MURDER AND SUICIDE.

HALIFAX, N. S. April 13.—A shocking murder and suicide occurred yesterday at Dover, a fishing settlement, about 30 miles from Halifax. Charles Cleveland shot his wife, and then shot himself, his face and the upper part of his head being blown off. Family troubles, relative to property, is said to be the origin of the crime. The husband was taking the gun out of the house, he said to shoot a son with whom he had a lawsuit. The wife endeavored to prevent him, when he shot her. He loaded the gun again and fired a second charge into her. He then reloaded and shot himself. They leave five sons and three daughters all married.

SHOCKING OCCURRENCE.

A YOUNG WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.

On Wednesday afternoon a melancholy accident occurred in Glanford, about half a mile from Mount Hope, by which a young girl, daughter of Mr. Frederick Johnson, lost her life. It appears that Miss Johnson, who was about 17 years of age, was boiling a quantity of turpentine on a stove in the house, for the purpose of making gum, when, by some means, the inflammable stuff took fire, and in a moment the flames communicated to her clothing. The unfortunate girl, in the terror of the moment, ran shrieking out of the house and threw herself down on the road. Her mother, who was close by, on hearing her daughter's screams, soon ascertained what was the matter and her first impulse was to fetch a pail of water, with which she succeeded in extinguishing the flames. It was too late, however, to save the girl's life, for, on removing the remains of her clothing, it was found that nearly every portion of her body was frightfully burned, and after enduring terrible agonies for a few hours death ended her sufferings. Mr. Johnson and his family have the sympathy of the community in their affliction.—*Spectator*.

HON. MR. SCOTT VINDICATED.

Last week during his examination under oath before the Northern Railway Committee Sir John Macdonald stated that two drafts of $500 each, made on the Northern Railway by him, were handed over to Hon. R. Scott, Secretary of State, as Treasurer of the North Renfrew election fund in Sir F. Hincks' election fund in that County. A few days after he admitted that he was "mistaken," and that he had paid the money to Sir Francis Hincks direct. The following copy of a letter, addressed by Sir Francis Hicks to Hon Mr. Scott, shows that Sir John's memory must be of a very treacherous character, and that if he is as accurate in other matters recalled in the Committee as in this, his evidence ought not to carry too great weight. Sir Francis explains explicitly that Mr. Scott was not Treasurer of his election fund, and that, in fact, there was no Treasurer of any such fund! The letter will be found below:

418 ST. ANTOINE STREET,
MONTREAL, 10 April, 1877.

MY DEAR MR. SCOTT,—I observed in one of our daily papers this morning a passage in the correspondents letter to the following effect:—"When asked what had been done "with this money, he stated that it had "been handed over to the treasurer of the "election fund, who was none other than "Mr. R. W. Scott, the present Secretary "of State." This has reference to the evidence of Sir John A. Macdonald in relation to Mr. Cumberland's subscription to the Renfrew election in 1869. I saw a statement very nearly to the same effect in a Toronto paper a few days ago, and hesitated whether I should address you on the subject.

I feel very strongly that I should be guilty of great ingratitude to you if I were to permit you to lie under such a charge after the trouble which you took on the occasion of an election among people to whom I was a total stranger, and after an absence of fifteen years from my adopted country. Sir John Macdonald, I am persuaded, had no intention of misrepresenting facts, but after the lapse of seven years it can hardly be expected that he should recollect all the details of a matter in which he had no direct concern beyond obtaining some subscriptions in Toronto.

When these subscriptions were obtained you must have been with me in Renfrew. There was no Treasurer of my election fund. I myself gave cheques on the branch Bank of Montreal at Ottawa, which were cashed at one of the bank agencies in Pembroke for whatever sums were required by the various agents throughout the riding to meet the expenses.

I have my bank book before me as I write, and find two credits on 11th and 15th November, one for $497,51, and the other $500, which I presume were Mr. Cumberland's subscription. I have likewise every cheque marked that was given, and I can unhesitatingly affirm that they were all drawn by myself, and that no cheque was drawn by you, and that you were not treasurer of any election fund.

Faithfully yours,
(Signed)
F. HINCKS.

The
Honorable R. W. Scott,
Secretary of State, Ottawa.

CONTESTED MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

JUDGE SHERWOOD'S JUDGMENT.—DOYLE V. MEAGHER.

The election for Bleecker Ward held in January last is contested on several grounds, and among them for miscount of ballots. The returning officer in his return states there were three candidates, and that the following number were polled for:

John Doyle, 109.
James Hambly, 160,
James Meagher, 111.

That there were two papers rejected as having a writing or mark by which the voter could be identified and 9 unmarked or void for uncertainty. The return was made in the usual way to the Clerk of the Municipality.

An order for inspection of the ballots was obtained, and at the inspection the rejected votes were mixed with those allowed, and the returning officer not having written the word rejected on them they could not be afterwards identified, There is nothing to show that it was caused in any way except by accident. One package of votes produced by Mr. Newbery containing 192 papers was admitted to be all right, and that Doyle and Meagher were equal. Twenty-three were objected to by either one or the other. Hambly's election is not disputed.

For the purpose of disposing of the scrutiny, the objected ballots are divided into four classes.

1. Irregularly marked.
2. Incomplete initialling
3. Not initialled.
4. Marked on back.

No. 1. It appears to me that if the name John Doyle in larger letters is the name opposite which the voter should have placed his cross that the cross is not opposite but below the name and if the name in smaller letters is the one it is placed to the right but not opposite. The cited cases led me to suppose that the intention of the voter is what should be sought after and it appears to me that he intended to vote for Doyle. There was evidently no intention on his part to vote for Meagher for he has written his name over the word Hambly. This vote I think should be counted for Doyle.

No. 2. The cross is written in the compartment that has Doyle's name, and although below and not opposite the name should be counted for Doyle. The mark below in the compartment in which Meagher's name is, has nothing whereby a person could recognize by whom the ballot was cast. It looks to me as if the voter commenced where he did not intend to place his cross, and on the discovery of the fact he had desisted. This also should be for Doyle.

No. 3. Should under the ruling of Mr. Vice-Chancellor Blake not be counted for the reason he gives that the voter commenced but did not complete his intention of making the cross.

No. 4. Seems to me to be a cross, although one arm only is complete, the other barely passing the upright stroke. It should be counted for Meagher.

No. 5. The intention evidently of the voter was to make a cross, although the horizontal stroke is not at right angles with the upward stroke. The figure 2 opposite Hambly's name could not enable a person to recognize for whom the ballot was cast. This vote should be counted for Doyle.

No. 6. In this case two crosses have been placed opposite Doyle's name, and I believe all the authorities recognize this as a good ballot. Counted for Doyle.

No. 7. This I think is a good ballot for both parties the crosses being in my opinion within the compartment opposite their respective names.

No. 8. As in No. 7 must be counted for Doyle.

No. 2.—Incomplete initialling.

There are five ballots in this package. They are to my judgment quite sufficiently initialled and should be counted. There will be for Doyle 1, and for Meagher 4

No. 3. Not initialled.

This class is composed of 5 ballots, No. 2 in this class is clearly initialled and must be allowed. With respect to the other votes I agree with the remarks of Mr. Blake in the Monck election, I think the principles as in the Municipal Ballot Act are the same as the Act under which the election in that case was held and that this election has been conducted in accordance with them.

Chief Justice Harrison says in Reg. ex-Rel. Preston v. Touchbarn: "The thing to be obtained is a fair election, substantially according to law; and if this appears to have taken place, resulting to some one or more of the candidates, that result should not be disturbed merely because an officer or person has disregarded or neglected some direction of the statute deemed necessary by the Legislature to receive a proper election."

The Returning Officer stated that it was his intention to mark all the ballots with his initials, and he thought he had. He said he had no reason to suspect that any person retained a paper not given to him. One of the five votes of this class must be counted for Doyle, and four for Meagher.

The 55th Sec. of the Dominion Act and the 18th Sec. of the Municipal Act are equally strong with respect to the not counting of marked votes, the latter declaring them to be void. The 80th Sec. of the Dominion Act and 38th Sec. of the Municipal Ballot Act are the same in the discretionary power given to a tribunal trying an election, if it is of opinion such non-compliance or mistake did not affect the result of the election. I cannot see that the non-initialling of some of the ballots or the writing on the back of others has affected this election in its result.

No. 4. This class contains 4 ballot papers, on all of which there is writing. The returning officer states in evidence that he did the writing after the ballots were returned to him, after marking by the voters. The writing, he says, was for the purpose of identifying the votes. Clearly, the voters or the candidates ought not to be held responsible for his acts. I feel great doubt as to this class, inasmuch as the Chief Justice in his judgment in Woodward and Sarsons says ballots of this sort are void. Sec. 18 Sub. Sec. 1 of our Act declares the same with regard to uninitialled ballots as well as to marked ballots. Still the Vice-Chancellor in the Monck case, under the 38 Sec. of the Act, allowed them. It really in this case makes no difference as to result. If these ballots are not counted, I make out of the 23 votes objected to 9 for Doyle and 11 for Meagher; and if counted, 10 for Doyle and 14 for Meagher.

—It is said a charge will lie against Sir John Macdonald, who recently sold 15 acres of land at Kingston to the Government for the use of the Penitentiary.

NOTICE

FROM

BOARD OF HEALTH!

All to Whom it May Concern

WITHIN the Corporation of the Town of Belleville, are requested to

Cleanse and Remove all Offal,

as well as any and everything likely to endanger the lives of our fellow citizens,

Before the First day of May, 1877.

If the offal and other nuisance be not removed by the First day of May, the law relating thereto will be rigidly enforced.

Persons having complaints to make will communicate with the Secretary in writing.

J. T. BELL,
President.

J. P. McDONNELL,
Secretary.
Belleville, April 16, 1877. 4i

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

IN the Matter of JAMES ALBERT CAMPION, JOSEPH WELLINGTON CAMPION, both of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, traders and co-partners, there carrying on business as such in co-partnership, under the name, style, and firm of J. A. and J. W. Campion, and as individual traders,

INSOLVENTS.

The Insolvents have made an assignment of their estate to me, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, on TUESDAY the EIGHTH day of MAY, A. D. 1877, at Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of their affairs, and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Dated at Belleville this 7th day of April, A.D. 1877.

J. PARKER THOMAS,
Assignee.

11

BEST

BLINDS!

20c *Per Foot*, 20c

—AT—

FLINT & HOLTON'S.

WILLIAM MACKAY,

House, Real Estate, Insurance

And Collecting Agent,

No. 27 BRIDGE ST., Belleville.

Houses to Rent and For Sale, Farms For Sale.

PARTIES having Houses to Rent, or Real Estate for Sale, or parties wishing to Rent or Purchase Houses or Farms please call.

Prompt attention to Collections.

April 16, 1877.

DIVISION OF PROFITS

OF THE

CANADA LIFE

Assurance Company.

ASSURERS joining before 30th April will rank for a YEAR'S PROFITS in excess of those joining after that day, thus sharing in FOUR YEAR'S PROFITS at next division in 1880, and this important feature is recommended to the consideration of intending assurers.

THE ADVANTAGES

Of joining an old and successful Company like the CANADA LIFE may be judged by the following facts:

1st.—The rates charged are LOWER than those of other Companies.

2nd.—It has the LARGEST BUSINESS of any Company in Canada.

3rd.—The PROFIT BONUSES added to Life Policies are LARGER than given by any other Company in Canada.

4th.—It has occurred that Profits not only EXTINGUISH all Premium Payments, but, in addition, yield the holder an ANNUAL SURPLUS.

Rates for the various systems of Assurance may be learned upon application at the Head Office in Hamilton, or at any of the Company's Agencies.

R. HILLS, Secretary. A. G. RAMSAY, Managing Director.

T. DONNELLY,
AGENT,
Belleville,

April 16, 1877.

REMOVED!

THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

W W Jones' Old Stand

And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

Including everything that can be found in

A First-Class Dry Goods Store.

The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.

A Call Solicited.

N. H. PETERSON.

April 12, 1877.

Ladies' Umbrellas!!

MARVELLOUSLY CHEAP!

Zanilla Umbrellas, only 50c each. Silk in proportion,

LADIES' CORSETS.

Dollar Corsets for 50c each.
$1,50 to $2 Corsets for 75c each.

HOSIERY,

VERY CHEAP INDEED, AT THE

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE

NEW CARPETS

—IN—

BRUSSELS, WOOL,
IMPERIAL, REAL DUTCH
TAPESTY, UNION, &c.

—ALSO—

CURTAINS, in Lace and Rep.

SHEETINGS, TABLE LINENS,
TOWELLINGS, WINDOW HOLLAND
CRUMB CLOTHS, &c., &c.

We invite the attention of our customers to the above goods on account of their present low price.

Geo. Fitchie & Co.,
IMPORTERS.

April 10, 1877.

Alma Mills

FLOUR & FEED STORE.

—(o)—

GREAT

REDUCTION!

IN THE PRICE OF

FLOUR & FEED.

The Alma Mills having been Refitted, and all the Latest Improvements in Machinery put in, including

A PURIFIER, &C.,

ARE NOW RUNNING

NIGHT AND DAY,

Therefore I can keep a full supply of FLOUR AND FEED Constantly on Hand.

The Goods are of the Very First Quality,

AND THE PRICES CANNOT BE BEAT.

LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3.50
" PASTRY " " "	4.00
" GRAHAM " "	3.30
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	3.50
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per "	1.40
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.30
BRAN, " "	90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	50
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1.20 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.

H. CORBY, JR.

April 9, 1877. d&w1m

SPRING ROOM PAPERS

AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of

ENGLISH ROOM PAPER

Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it AT VERY LOWEST PRICES:

All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.

Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds

An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.

J. C. REYNOLDS.
3 doors West Post Office

Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.

April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. F. BURDETT.
Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

Go and See PROF. LAVOIE,

(de PARIS) the Experienced

Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

And Practical Wig Maker

At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner.

PROF. LAVOIE,
293 Notre Dame St., Montreal, and Belleville.

All Orders Promptly attended to.

Apr. 2, 1877. 3m

MECHANICS, ATTENTION!

YOU will find a good assortment of

TOOLS

AT LOWEST PRICES,

AT CHOWN'S.

ALL KINDS OF

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE

Manufactured, and

Roofing, Eave-Troughing, Gas and Water Fitting, Plumbing and Bell Hanging

or any kind of Jobbing, attended to at Shortest notice, and with Reasonable Charges.

Our Motto is, CHEAP FOR CASH,

AT CHOWN'S

STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.

361 Front St.,
Belleville.

Dairyman's Assoc'ton

OF

EASTERN ONTARIO.

THE FIRST MEETING

Of this Association will be held in the

CITY HALL, BELLEVILLE

—ON—

Wednesday, 2nd May, 1877,

At 11 o'clock, a m, when important business will be brought before the meeting, viz.,

"Organization of Eastern Association."

J. C. HEGLER, Secy. W. S. YATES, Vice-President.

Belleville, April 14th, 1877. d1w&wtd

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN E OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. 1yr

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express,	6.50 a m
No. Express,	6.10 p m
Mixed	9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other lines named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 16.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Town Council.—A regular meeting of the Town Council takes place to-night.

Racing—A series of races will take place on the Bay Side Track on the 24th of May.

Ready.—The schooner *Gazelle* has had her sails bent, and she is now in good order for the season's work.

Station Lodgers.—Since Saturday thirteen lodgers have been registered at the police station.

The Gold Badge.—The badge given by the Moira Hose to the fireman who most often first reaches the hose, was this year awarded to Thomas Burke.

Navigation.—The Utica will begin her regular trips to-morrow. The Armenia will begin the season's work on Wednesday.

Obituary.—Dr. Bird, of Brooklyn, son of the Rev. Mr. Bird, of Sidney, died at his residence this morning.

Massassaga—Work on the new hotel was begun to-day, a party of workmen having taken a load of lumber there this morning. A letter from Captain Swales says he will bring the steamer Flight to this place next month.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is becoming more popular every day since its reductions from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Arrival.—The fleet little schooner *Highland Beauty* arrived here on Saturday afternoon. She is loading lumber for Kingston.

Dead Drunk.—Sergeant McCrudden found a man in the St. Thomas' Church ground yesterday morning, laid out on the ground and speechlessly drunk. A rig was procured and the man was conveyed to the station.

Duck Hunting.—Large quantities of ducks are reported flying northward. They are said to be plentiful in Big Bay flocks of them having been seen there. Our local sportsmen can now have an opportunity of trying their skill.

For familes visiting Philadelphia, no more cosy, home like quarters, combined excellent service, unexceptional cuisine, and moderate prices can be found than at the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street.

Clear.—Big Bay may now be said to be clear of ice and therefore vessels may soon be expected to commence running. On the north shore there is yet a considerable quantity of the glacial element but it is too far away to interfere with navigation.

Notice to Anglers.—The close season for white fish or salmon trout is from June 1st to November 10th only; for speckled trout from the 15th of September to the 1st May; for pickerel and maskinonge from the 15th of April to the 15th May. Fish poles should be kept out of sight till after the first of May.

An Outrage.—Last evening as a couple of gentlemen were driving past the junction of the roads at Smith's old foundry, some party on the sidewalk threw a rotten goose egg, which struck the dashboard of the buggy and spattered on them. An effort was made to discover the guilty person but without avail.

Warning.—Boys and men who feel disposed to improve their skill as marksmen by shooting blue birds, robins, &c., within the town limits, should bear in mind that they are subjecting themselves to a penalty every time they take the life of one of these harmless song birds, or discharge a firearm within the corporation limits of the town.

Recognition.—The *Whig* says:—"We understand that Prof. Oldham, organist of St. George's cathedral, has received the offer of musical instructor of Albert College, Belleville, vice Prof. Whish, who is about to move west. This is a recognition of talent rather flattering to Prof. Oldham, who could fill this new engagement without effecting any arrangement with which he is connected in this city.

Loose Planks.—If the Street Surveyor would detail one or two men to fasten the loose planks in the sidewalks all over town and to drive down the nails which project here and there, he would receive the thanks of the community. To be upset by one of these loose planks, or to ruin a new boot on a projecting nail, is not conducive of good temper, and is decidedly unpleasant.

Kingston Items.—Captain Howard of the R. & O. Navigation Co., was in town on Saturday making arrangements for the opening of navigation.—A man had his pocket picked on the market on Saturday morning.—James Rubb's butcher shop was burglarized on Friday night and a quantity of meat taken therefrom.—Several by-laws will be introduced at the meeting of the city council which takes place this evening.—A Philharmonic Society has been organized and an effort will thereby be made to show up the musical talents of the city.—Gowan's Company from Ottawa will visit Kingston on Thursday next.—The Singer Sewing Machine Company are going to establish a branch of their business on the corner of Princess and Wellington streets.—The cricket club meets to-morrow night for the election of officers.

The Globe.—The leading Government gan appears in new dress to-day, which greatly adds to its general attractiveness.

Legal.—The following case was heard in Chancery Chambers in Toronto on Saturday:—**Grand Junction Railway v. Loird.**—Mr Arnoldi obtained an order for production.

English Mail.—The S. S. Caspian arrived at Halifax at three o'clock yesterday afternoon, with 8 cabin, 15 intermediate and 117 steerage passengers.

Bleecker Ward.—Another communication, referring to matters connected with Bleecker Ward, appears on first page to-day. We do not see any necessity for further discussion.

For the Antipodes.—We believe Mr. R E. Campion intends leaving Belleville tomorrow for Australia. He goes with the intention of remaining in that part of the world. We trust his most sanguine expectations may be realized. Many friends in Belleville will regret to part company, and will unite with us in wishing him "bon voyage."

House and Real Estate Agency.—In another column will be found the advertisement of Mr. William Mackay, who has opened an office at No. 27, Bridge St, for the purpose of carrying on the above business. As something of the kind has been long needed in Bellville, parties interested will find it to their advantage to call upon him.

Work Begun.—We learn that the work of grading the granad Junction Railway between Belleville any Stirling was begun this morning, and a gang of men are now engaged in the work. Mr. Alex. Brown, acting on the supposition that the old Board is still in office and that the present Board is not legally constituted, has decided to go on with the contract which he made with the old Board.

The Election Case.—In the contested municipal election for Bleeker Ward, His Hor. Judge Sherwood, delivered judgement at ten o'clock this morning at the Court House. The Court held that Mr. Meagher had a majority of four as will be seen by the judgement which appears in another column. We understand that a further protest will be made on the grounds of bribery, corruption &c. and the case will come up again on Tuesday 24th inst.

The Opera House.—The entertainment on Saturday night was very poorly patronized; the amusement loving people of the town not caring for such performances as those given by Lindley and his company. Like Burgess, Harry is clever, but each seemingly labors under a delusion when he imagines that with the assistance of a few indifferent performers he can draw good houses in this town. Hotel-proprietors, newspaper publishers and lessees of halls may occasionally be "taken in," but it is seldom that the public can be "galled." It is now in order for Harry to make a farewell tour of this country prior to his departure for Europe.

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Monday 16th April, 1877.

THE MARKET BY-LAW.

Alfred Ellis, Charles Green, and John Doran were each fined $2.00 and costs for violating the market by-law. The cases against Mrs. McCormack and R. N. Bennett were laid over till to-morrow for the production of certificates. The charge against E. Snell was dismissed.

DRUNK.

Louis Masson made his first appearance at this court to-day and was dismissed.

LUNACY.

Anne Feeney charged with lunacy was committed.

CHANCERY SITTINGS.

The following is a list of causes set down for the chancery sittings on the 26th inst.:

Foley vs. Foley.—Dickson; Flint.

Hayes vs. Cryderman.—Francis & Forbes; Biggar & Hoskin.

Badgley vs. Cook.—Dougall & Clute; Fraleck & Jellett.

Vermilyea vs. N. D. Ins. Co.—Dougall & Clute; Brown & Brown.

Glass vs. Zwick.—Simpson & Alcorn; Diamond & Diamond.

Gildersleeve vs Cowan.—Flint & Robertson; Falkiner & Hoskin.

Curtis vs. Wilson.—Hon. L Wallbridge, Q. C; Henderson & Henderson.

Elvert vs Elvert.—Burdett; Hon L. Wallbridge, Q. C.

Clark vs. Long.—Burdett; Hon L. Wallbridge, Q. C.

Roblin vs. Long.—Burdett; Hon. L. Wallbridge, Q. C.

Moore vs. Brooks.—Dickson; Jellett & Alcorn.

C. P. & M. R. Co. vs. Maclean.—Armour & Holland; Maclean.

ABOUT PETROLEUM.

Mr. Laflamme's bill for the inspection of petroleum has been printed. The word "petroleum" is declared to mean "every description of refined petroleum or other product of crude petroleum sold or used for illumination purposes." It is enacted that no person shall sell, or offer for sale, any petroleum not exempted which has not been inspected or offered for inspection. The standard is to be one hundred and five degrees of Farenheit, thermometer, and "any petroleum which at a temperature below that standard gives off a vapor that will ignite or explode, and the package in which it is contained shall be branded accordingly." Every package is to be marked "inspected," and "explosive" if it be such, with the name of the Inspector, who is to be an Inland Revenue officer. There are severe penalties for persons selling uninspected petroleum, and for fraudulently altering the marks on the packages. The fees for inspection are five cents for a package not containing more than forty gallons, and three cents for those containing no more than ten gallons.

THE RAT'S MISTAKEN JOURNEY.

The Montreal "Witness" contains the following:—Yesterday evening a reporter for a morning contemporary was engaged writing up his items, when he suddenly and quite unintentionally furnished an item himself. He was so engrossed in decribing the mysteries of the Police Court, that he did not notice an ancient and wise-looking rat who was out on a prospecting tour, and was examing minutely the mud about the bottom of the reporter's pantaloons. The mud seemed of good quality, and the rats began to nibble it; the reporter become conscious of something unusual going on about his pedal extremities, and gave a kick, when the trouble began. The rat made a spring and commenced a voyage of discovery up the leg of the reporter's pantaloons, upset his chair, nearly overturning the table, and yelling thieves, while the rat squealed murder as plainly as a rat can. The rat continued his explorations until the pantaloons got too tight for him to go higher. Then he took a good grip of him and began to dance. The reporter is an exemplary young man and not given to terpsichorean exercises; but when the compositors and clerks from the business office, attracted by his cries, entered the room, they found him cutting such fantastic capers that they thought he was either crazy, or was practicing a new fling for St. Andrew's ball. Still the rat held on, and still the reporter kept his grip. The situation was becoming serious. How was the rat to be got out? At last a brilliant idea struck the reporter. He began to take of his pantaloons, still holding the rat, and, when he had removed them, a general ouslaught was made on the unfortunate rodent, and he was quickly despatched, a compositor almost decapitating him with a column rule.

DON'T KISS THE BRIDESMAID.

A curious case was tried in Dublin the other day. A Miss Connor summoned a Dr. Lynch for damaging a silk dress. She said that she had a few days ago been bridesmaid to a cousin, and the defendant was one of the wedding guests. He several times attempted to kiss her, and in their struggles her dress was torn. He also accidentally spilled some tea upon it. The dress was worth £4, and he promised to replace it but did not. She said she complained of his conduct to her aunt, who only laughed and said "she would get used to it." For the defence it was pleaded that he only took the recognised liberties with the bridesmaid; but the magistrate, Mr. O'Donel, said that not being best man, he was not privileged. The case created roars of laughter, and the magistrate's judgment was thoroughly Hibernian, for he told all the parties to "Go away out of that.

POLITICAL NOTES.

WHAT IS GOING ON AT OTTAWA.

—After all the fuss some of the Senators made about the Government and the Railway Strike, they permitted Mr. Blake's Bill, in reference to such matters, to pass *nem con.*

—To-day Mr. Shibley will move for a Select Committee to enquire into the expediency of abandoning the Rideau Canal as a Government work, and selling it to private individuals.

—Mr. Currier has again asked to have his case postponed, but consent has been refused until the House meets. Mr. Currier is badly frightened, and with good cause. Mr. Moffatt's case is to be proceeded with also.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

CRIMES IN NEW YORK.

The Grand Duke to Visit Hayes.

The EASTERN QUESTION.

Manchester, N. H., April 16.—Two prisoners named Lyons and Gonnier attacked the Turkey official last night and Lyons escaped.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 16.—Morris Taylor, yesterday shot Andrew Grier fatally. His reason is unknown.

Chillicothe, O., April 16—Geo. Binmann, Jr., a leading dry goods merchant, shot himself fatally yesterday. It is rumored that the shooting was accidental.

New York, April 16.—The *Tribune's* New Orleans special reports the controversy practically settled. The compromise agreed upon, proceeds rather from the Nicholls party than from the Commissioners. Its basis is the reorganization of the Legislature by admitting all the members on the Parish, discarding the Returning Board. The Nicholls Legislature will pass resolutions to-day accepting the compromise, declaring confidence in Hayes and guaranteeing equal rights and protection to negroes. Packard is not expected to accept this settlement with good grace, if at all. The Consolidated Legislature will elect a Conservative Senator and instruct him to support the Administration.

New York April 16.—Joseph Brady, a prominent contractor, after an altercation with a laborer named Lanahan, was knocked down and fatally injured last night.

Geo. Peters, a discharged waiter at the Grand Central Hotel, attacked head waiter Larney in the lunch room last night, firing three shots and wounding Larney seriously.

Mongomery Taroop, Jr., cowhided Edward Price in a street car on Saturday and was arrested. Both are of prominent families. Price married Throop's favorite cousin, and it is said was unkind to her. Both decline to explain, and a duel is rumored.

Henry Sholes, printer, shot himself fatally last night.

Vienna, April 16.—The Grand Duke Nicholas reviewed the army of the Pruth yesterday. Nine new Russian army corps are *en route* to join the Southern army.

London, April 16—England and Austria are offering mediations on the Eastern question under a promise of a review of the Treaty of Paris. Negotiations upon this basis may last throughout the present month.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

SUDDEN DEATH.

A MISSING BOAT.

SENTENCE OF A "MOLLY MAGUIRE."

THE QUAKERS ENTREATING FOR INDIAN PEACE POLICY.

Baltimore, April 16.—Last evening Mrs. James Abbott was so shocked on entering her house to find her daughter dead, that she fell unconscious on the floor and died.

New York, April 16.—Captain Daniels, of the burned *S. S. Leo*, reports a life boat in charge of First Engineer McDonald is known to have left the ship. The owners of the *Leo* say the life boat was new and staunch, and McDonald is an able seaman.

Pottsville, Pa., April 16.—Jack Keho a Molly Maguire, has been sentenced to death for the murder of Phillip S. Langdon at Aubenried in '62.

Washington, D. C., April 16—Another delegation of Quakers called on the President to-day in behalf of the Indian peace policy. The President said he favored peace everywhere.

This and That.

—Mr. Gladstone has accepted the candidacy for the rectorship of Glasgow University.

—The price of potatoes on the Guelph market Saturday went up as high as $1.35 per bag.

—Guelph is to have seventeen tavern and eight shop licenses this year.

—The steamer City of Toronto is being painted and repaired for the summer season.

—Buffalo has paid $582,793 to build railroads, and still owes for the same purpose $1,-502,000.

—The "Times" says it was not John Walter of that journal, but his brother, Captain Walter, who was assaulted at Rome.

—On Tuesday and Wednesday the Bishop of Huron held confirmation service at Wardsville and Glencoe. Some thirty-five persons received the sacred rite.

—The "Globe" states that John O'Connor Power, Liberal member for Mayo, Ireland, intends to resign his seat in Parliament, and settle in America.

—Saturday nine street cars passed through Guelph on the grand trunk for the Kingston Street Railway Company. The cars were small built and handsomely painted.

—There are 12,00,000 children in Ireland of school age, and more than 1,000,000 of them are on the rolls of the National Board Schools—a proportion greatly in excess of the proportion which prevails in England.

—Mr. George Sandilands, who gave up the position of Manager of the Bank of Commerce at Guelph to become its local Director, has been presented with a silver service and $400 by the citizens.

—The inauguration of Brantford as a city will be appropriately celebrated on June 1st. The citizens have determined to raise $1,000, so as to ensure the success of the celebration. Towards this fund the Town Council has voted $400 and the fire brigade $200, leaving $400 to be subscribed. One of the chief features of the day will be a firemen's tournament.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, April 16.

Greenbacks buying at	92½
" selling at	94
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	87½

Gold opened at 107¼; closed at 109¼.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, April 16.

Flour—Receipts 871 barrels. Market quiet and firm, selling 10 to 20cts. higher. Sales, 150 barrels choice bakers at 7.20; 100 barrelt choice fine at 6.40.

Wheat—1 car fyfe sold at $1.00.

Ashes and provisions unchanged.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 16, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 11,000. Shipments 3,650. Market active 10 to 15cts. advance; packers and shippers buying light grades; selling 5.40 for mixed heavy to packers 5.30 to 5.85 for common shipping, Official receipts on yesurday 5,986.

New York Markets.

New York, April 16, 1877.

Gold—107⅝.

Cotton—Quiet, 11⅞

Flour—Ten cents better receipts, 16,000 barrels; sales, 15,000 barrels.

Rye Flour—Very firm, at $4.60 to $5.35

Wheat—Held 1 to 2c higher at $1.61 to $1.63. Receipts 30,000; sales none.

Rye—Firm. 2 to 3c better.

Corn—1 to 2c higher. Rects, 92,000 bush.; sales 190,000 bush. at 62 to 66c, and 64 to 67c.

Barley—Quiet. No. 1 at 90.

Oats—Firmer. Receipts 74,000 bush; sales 29,000 bush. 43 to 59c for mixed; 49 to 63 for white.

Pork—Firm at 16.25.

Lard—firmer at 10.40.

Butter—10 to 20c for old; 14 to 28c new

Cheese—7 to 14½c.

Petroleum—Crude 9.75c; refined 15.50.

A Valuable Horse had a swelling and Hard Lumps in his Throat; could not swallow. Applied Giles' Liniment Iodide of Ammonnia: instantly sore-throat and lumps disappeared. I fell and cut my hand on a rusty nail, applied the Liniment, healing it up without experiencing any soreness. No stable or family should be without it, THOMPSON & BROTHERS, Seventeenth and Vine Street, Philadelphia.

☞Did you ever think that what is termed a common cold, when systematically neglected, often leads to that most fatal and distressing disease, consumption; but when attended to at once is generally easy of cure. If you are troubled with a cold or cough, "Bryan' Pulmonic Wafers" will be found most efficacious in removing it. They give immediate relief, and generally effect a cure when used in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Beaford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have cold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay." Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion. Note—Eclectric—Selected and Electrized

"A DROWNING MAN WILL CATCH AT A STRAW."

If he catch it, it will do him no good. Thousands of people, who having neglected colds and coughs until they have become dangerous, will rush to almost every nostrum for relief. This is why so many experiments are tried by the sufferers. Go to your Druggist, buy a bottle of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, and use it with confidence. It will benefit at once and ultimately cure. It is no straw, it is a cable well-tried; hold on to it and be saved.

50 cents and $1 a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remed and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

E GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETOR

$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale by all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D., Bible House, New York City, 3tawd&w6m

WHITE GRANITE

CUPS AND SAUCERS,

(Handled and Unhandled)

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

F. H. ROUS & Co.

Belleville, April 13. 1877.

HOOEY & SON

Beg to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

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We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

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Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

Millinery: MISS BELLAIR. 342. Dress Making: MRS. BELLAIR.

COSTELLO'S

Fashionable Millinery!

And Dress-Making

ESTABLISHMENT.

TO THE LADIES:

I beg to intimate the arrival and arrangement of a most complete assortment of Fashionable Millinery direct from the London, Paris, and New York Markets. I will show

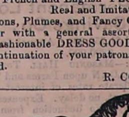
On Thursday Next, April 5th,

All the Leading Styles in

Pattern Trimmed HATS & BONNETS,
French and English FLOWERS,
Real and Imitation LACES.
Ribbons, Plumes, and Fancy Ornaments,
together with a general assortment of the most Fashionable DRESS GOODS.

A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

R. COSTELLO.



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CLYDESDALE HORSE,

"Scott's Fusileer,"

The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville

Farmers wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season,

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel,

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

From the Director of the Montreal College, Montreal, April 20, 1868.

I hereby certify that, by using Parsons & Co.'s Exterminator it has perfectly succeeded in ridding the college premises of cockroaches, crickets, and such like disgusting insects, which were before very numerous.

S. Villeneuve, Priest Direct Mont. Col.

LAST CALL.

Having made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

Direct from the Manufacturers.

ONE CASE

OF

LADIES' COLLARS & CUFFS,

CHOICE GOODS.

ONE CASE OF

HAMBURG EDGINGS & INSERTIONS

VERY CHEAP,

—AT—

G. C. HOLTON & CO.'S.

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STOCK OF ROOM PAPER

IS NOW VERY COMPLETE.

FANCY EMPORIUM.

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NOVELTIES IN

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—AT—

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—ALSO—

WONDERFULLY CHEAP LINES

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FROM $1.00 PER PAIR.

Decided Bargains in Ladies' Umbrellas & Sun Shades.

We offer an Immense Variety of these Goods in Various Materials at about the REGULAR WHOLESALE IMPORTERS PRICE.

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—OF—

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GROCERIES,

BOOTS & SHOES, &c.,

GREAT AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Cheap John's Stock

BY ORDER OF THE ASSIGNEE.

We are instructed by John Fair, Esq., Assignee to the Estate of Mr John Winters, to dispose of the Entire Stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, &c.,

BY PUBLIC AUCTION!

IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS,

Commencing Thursday April 12th,

And continuing until the entire stock is CLOSED OUT.

This Sale will present the greatest opportunity ever offered to the Citizens of Belleville and adjoining country for securing supplies of

Groceries,	Dry Goods,
Ready-Made Clothing	Boots and Shoes,
Hardware,	Crockery, &c.

At their own Prices, as the Assignee is determined to get rid of the stock, no matter what the loss may be

☞ Sale will begin each day at 10 A.M., 1:30 and 7:30 P.M.

DeMANDEVILLE & CO., Auctioneers.

RESERVED SEATS FOR LADIES.

HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS That R HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS

NEW AMERICAN, ENGLISH, AND CANADIAN

SPRING HATS

FURS AT MANUFACTURER'S COST!

AT GOLDSMITH & DAVENPORT'S

OLD STAND

pleats is removed. Stand by an open window and shake the dust off the handkerchief out of the window every little while.

Remember that lemons can be kept sweet and fresh for months by putting them in a clean, tight cask or jar and covering with cold water. The water must be changed as often as every other day, and the cask kept in a cool place.

Remember that mirrors should never be hung where the sun shines directly upon them. They soon look misty, grow rou[illegible] granulated, and no longer give back [illegible] or correct picture. The amalgam or unio[illegible] correct with mercury, which is spr[illegible] of tinfoil form a looking-glass is [illegible]ad on glass to direct, continued ex[illegible]asily ruined by the [illegible]osure to the solar rays.

Remember th[illegible]t one can have the hands in soap-suds with soft soap without injury to the skin if the hands are dipped in vinegar or lemon juice immediately after. The acid destroys the corrosive effects of the alkali and makes the hands soft and white. Indian meal and vinegar or lemon juice used on the hands when roughened by cold or labor, will heal and soften them. Rub the hands in this then wash off thoroughly and rub in glycerine. Those who suffer from chapped hands in the winter will find this comforting.

Remember never to leave clothes-lines out week after week, but take them down and wind them on the reel, as soon as the clothes are dry. With this care a clothes-line will last years. But if left out, wind and rain will mildew and rot the line, and it soon becomes worthless. Added to this, the clothes will be colored from the line, and dirty streaks almost impossible to remove will be seen where they rested on it.

Remember that a tablespoonful of black pepper will prevent grey linens from spotting, if stirred into the first water in which they are washed. It will also prevent the colors running, when washing black or colored cambrics, or muslins, and the water is not injured by it, but is just as soft as before the pepper was put in.

Remember that if brooms are dipped for a minute or two into a kettle of boiling suds once a week, they will last much longer. It makes them tough, but pliable, and a carpet is not worn half as much by sweeping with a broom so cared for. A good house-keeper will see that her brooms are all thus scalded.

NOW IS THE TIME.

Now is the time when birds mate and some young people do likewise.

Now is the time that the little pollywog begins to wriggle into a bullyfrog.

Now is the time that the Benedict's better-half always begins her sentences with "Hubby, dear." Of course she does not want a new spring bonnet—Oh, no!

Now it the time that indolent young men take sun baths at the street corners.

Now is the time that young couples begin to practice "swinging on the gate" again. It is said to be an enjoyable exercise.

Now is the time that the man with a back garden lays in nine dollars worth of seeds to plant. He will probably reap seventy-five cents' worth of produce in the fall.

Now is the time that people begin to complain of the dust, and sigh for the beneficial watering-cart.

Now is the time that Jones borrows his neighbor's rake to do up the yard, and forgets to return it. Next fall he will imagine that it is his own, and have a quarrel over it,

Now is the time that the family man removes the weather windows, and wishes that he had saved himself the trouble by not putting them on last fall.

Now is the time that the careful housewife gathers up all the old shoes and rubbers around the house to pitch on to the burning rubbish pile, and perfume the whole neighborhood.

Now is the time that the average boy gets nickle plated for wearing the knees out of his breeches prematurely through playing marbles.

Now is the time when trees may be considered dangerous—they are beginning to shoot.

Now is the time that the soda fountain proprietors begin to smile and fix up their thirst quenching machines for business.

Now is the time when the schoolboy counts the days that intervene between this and the 24th of May.

Now is the time that the mouth of the country editor begins to water for the first donation of maple sugar.

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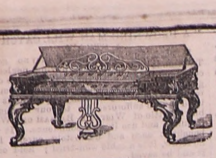

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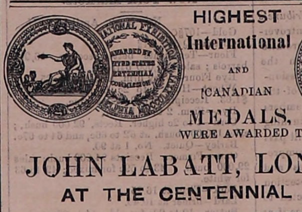

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC MELANGE.

(Written for the ONTARIO.)

Wagner dislikes the French.

Another Philadelphia theatre has gone to smash,—the new National. The Company and ballet lost three weeks pay.

Le Commandeur Cayeneuve is the greatest magician who has ever visited America. His New York and Boston audiences have been large and cultivated.

Salvini has grown rich and plays no more except for charity.

In five minutes more the play would have been over at the Brooklyn theatre and the calamity possibly averted.

The Great "Walking lady"—Bertha Von Hillern.

You can now buy a reserved seat to hear Murry preach for 50 cents! The *music alone* is worth the money!

Camilla Urso was the first to contribute to the Brooklyn relief fund, giving one thousand dollars. Such a response was truly noble and characteristic of that eminent artist.

Levy the Cornetist left for Australia in January.

Three choirs of 300 voices were organized in Boston by Dr. Tourjee for the Moody and Sankey revival in January.

Offenbach has the gout.

A silver brick valued at $50 was presented to Anna Berger in Virginia City.

Madame Nettie Stirling, (London vocalist) is singing *cradle* songs. (It is a boy.)

The Emperor of Russia says he does'nt care a fig for Nilsson's voice.

In San Francisco the papers say that Sol Smith Russell is "the topic of conversation." No wonder!

Booth was rapidly making money before he reached New York where he is losing very fast. Why does that city treat him so badly?

Liszt won't play in public.

Ballet girls get $4 a week.

Geo. L. Fox is in Brooklyn, getting better daily.

Jas. Williams has some jolly new songs.

Talmage plays the accordeon. O how sinful.

Several sharks will soon be added to the New York Aquarium.

Sam Deyere is making people laugh with "A Lean Banana," a clever parody on "Eilleen Allanna."

Levretta Harkness, a Boston miss, has been admitted to the violin class of the Paris Conservatoire.

Booth has been refused permission by the Court to remove his name from Booth's Theatre, New York.

A New York Judge has decided that a person may use, sell or give away a complimentary ticket.

It is often asked, "which is the better cornetist, Arbuckle or Levy?" Both are great artists, their schools being very dissimilar. Levy has the most brilliant *execution*, while Arbuckle excels in *tone*, his slow movements being especially artistic. Comparisons in such cases are very unjust.

A man named James MaGuire, who stole Tony Pastor's diamond pin, has gone to the State Prison, N. Y., for seven years and a half.

"Horse doctoring and singing school," is practiced by a Michigander.

The St. Louis *Republican* is crochetty. It says the season of Italian Opera, just closed, has been a short one—a crippled one, and withal a bob-tailed display of poor talent and operatic financial voracity.

Barnum has written a new book entitled "How menageries are made." We do not know of anyone better calculated to write upon the subject, as Noah is now out of the business.

Every supe connected with an Irish theatre is a broth of a boy.

Some observer has found that great musicians are alwzys *shaggy*.

FOR THE LADIES.

BRUNETTES TO THE FRONT.

Fashion comes and fashions go, and hair and complexions come and go likewise. Now that chlorinated hair in various shades of whitey-flax to hay color is gone out (all that is left of it), brunettes, with Titianesque hair, of a tawny bronze, have come in. Pearl white and enamel have gone out, and a lovely olive powder has come in, making radiant brunettes exquisite in dusky beauty.

EVER SINCE THE DAYS OF EVE.

The blood, if I may judge from readings of authors and the ideas of innumerable artists of various epochs, no end of art has been employed in the invention of cosmetics for whitening the skin; indeed I have heard (this is strictly confidential, you know) that once upon a time it was not difficult to find ladies who, to "make a wash" for this purpose, would "stew a child." Previous science is of no avail."

IT IS NO LONGER THE FASHION TO BE BLONDE.

And so soft brune skin, dark Andalusian eyes, cheeks faintly tinted as if by a tropical sun, and dark, red-brown hair comes in fashion, and the bonnetts and flowers that adorn them must correspond. The new shades of the millinery department of fashion already give birth to morbid and suicidal visions in the heart of the golden-haired blonde. She must either dye or become a fright. In vain she tries on capote, hat, Normandy cap, Gainsborough turban—the fashionable lace-straw, satin-straw and Leghorn is as yellow as her hair, and turns her fair face to a sallow hue.

THE FLOWERS FASHION ORDERS.

Are golden buttercups, wallflowers, yellow violets, unknown to botanist; nasturtion, orange colored geraniums, golden-red dandelions, flame colored daisies, roses the color of old yellow gold, all manner of wee, wild bowers varying in shade from palest straw and the flossy silk of corn to orange and orange-red and tomato shades. *Vesuve*, the last new color for trimming in silk, is of a radiant flame-color, and Mandarian, the royal color, is a most dazzling, intense yellow.

A NEW FABRIC FOR TRIMMING

is "*plurbette*," a transparent stuff with narrow stripes of chenille; this comes in many shades, among which yellow largely predominates, and yellow chenille gauze is a novelty. The Tuscan straws are also yellow, and some of the other silks for trimming are in delicate salmon tints. The other fashionable color is alike fatal to the delicate blonde—

(Continued on Fourth Page.)

The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 17.

Mr. Currier, senior member for Ottawa City, yesterday resigned his seat in the Commons, owing to certain transactions that have already been referred to as disqualifying him.

Mr. Bowell's motion for the attendance of Mr. Cartwright on the Wilkinson trial received the treatment it deserved. It was defeated on division. We speak of it elsewhere.

Before the Northern Railway Committee yesterday Messrs. Angus Morrison and T. C. Pattison were examined. Their evidence only tended to increase the public disgust with this disgraceful *expose*, and more firmly than ever drive home the damaging charges against the management of that corporation. Mr. Morrison acknowledged that when he subscribed $1,000 to aid the *Mail*, it was fully understood between the late John Sandfield Macdonald, Mr. Cumberland and himself that the money was to be taken out of the Northern Railway funds. He never intended to pay one dollar of it.

The final adoption of the report of the Secret Service Committee by a majority of 22 has somewhat relieved the Opposition of a deep sense of guilt. They endeavor to make it appear that this greatly reduced majority was entirely owing to the unwillingness of a large number of Government supporters to endorse so mean-spirited, ungenerous and vindictive a report. The fact is, however, that owing to the tediousness of the debate many members had left the House, not believing that a division would be reached before recess. They had no idea that Sir John and his friends would permit judgment to go by default. Had the usual complement been present the censure would have been adopted by a majority of not less than fifty. There is little consolation, therefore, in the final result on Saturday.

We have the announcement that a telegram has been received at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, to the effect that war will be declared between Russia and Turkey to-day. The information already to hand leaves no room to doubt the active preparations already made for a formidable struggle. It is not a difficult matter to forecast the result. Of course we merely speculate on what is known to be the ruling principle underlying all this Eastern difficulty. If, as we are informed, the Shah of Persia has been induced to espouse the cause of Russia, and simultaneously attack the Asiatic possessions of Turkey, the struggle may, at the very outset, assume a dangerous aspect. England will adopt every possible means, consistent with her interests, to avoid complicity, but it is very doubtful whether she long remains neutral.

CLAP-TRAP.

When the Ontario Bank grievance was brought before the House a few days ago, the Finance Minister gave full and explicit information of all Government transactions with that institution. He distinctly stated that the reason why large sums of money were deposited with the Ontario Bank was owing to the fact that branch institutions existed at Prince Arthur's Landing and Winnipeg, through which the principal Government business with the North-West could be conveniently transacted. Not satisfied with the drubbing he then received, Mr. Bowell has made another attempt to annoy the Government and delay the business of the session. He has moved for leave of absence for Mr. Cartwright, to attend the Cobourg Assizes, in obedience to a subpœna served upon him to give evidence in the trial of the case of the Queen on the prosecution of the Hon. John Simpson against James A. Wilkinson. The motion is nothing but the merest clap-trap. Mr. Bowell and those for whom he acts know full well that Mr. Cartwright, should he go into the witness box, can tell nothing more than is now known. He can only repeat what he stated before the House, and certainly no possible advantage can be gained by such repetition. In order to complete the work of the session it is absolutely necessary that the House should go into Committee of Supply nearly every day, and of all members of the Government the Finance Minister can be least spared from his post. As the end of the session draws near, and the futility of their mad schemes for partisan advantages becomes more apparent, the Opposition grow frantic in their efforts to manufacture political capital. In this kind of business the member for North Hastings has won notoriety.

AMNESTY.

Mr. Costigan's motion on Thursday, to which we have already referred, is peculiarly interesting for several reasons. In order that our readers may fully comprehend the situation, we give the resolution in full, which was seconded by Mr. John White, of East Hastings, a representative Orangeman:—

> "That the Speaker do not now leave the chair, but that it be resolved that in pursuance of the terms of an address passed by this House on the 13th day of February, 1875, a full amnesty was granted to all persons concerned in the North-west troubles for all acts committed by them during the said troubles save only Louis Riel, A. D. Lepine and W. B. O'Donoghue, and a partial amnesty was granted to Louis Riel and A. D. Lepine, conditional on five years' banishment from Her Majesty's Dominion, thereby leaving the said W. B O'Donoghue as the only person liable to the extreme penalties of the law for all acts committed by him during the said troubles. That this solitary exception has caused dissatisfaction among a large class of Her Majesty's loyal subjects of the same nationality as the said W. B. O'Donoghue, and that in the opinion of this House, as all disquiet and fear of disturbances have long since ceased in the Northwest Territories, it is just and proper that the said W. B. O'Donoghue be placed in the same position with regard to the said troubles as Louis Riel and A. D. Lepine."

It is only necessary to remark that the professed object sought by this motion was, that O'Donoghue (who, as one of the principal movers in the North-West difficulties, has not yet been included in the amnesty granted to others) should be placed in the same position as Riel and Lepine. The terms upon which the latter, or more exactly Riel only, were granted amnesty consisted in five years' outlawry and banishment from Canada. Lepine, though included in these terms, preferred to take the punishment awarded rather than come under the grace of amnesty. Riel cannot return to Canada until 1880, when he will have expiated his crime and be once more entitled to the considerations of citizenship. It is claimed by those who supported the above resolution that O'Donoghue was not implicated in the Scott murder, and that his doubtful complicity in the Fenian raid of subsequent date should not exclude him from executive clemency. If, as they thus assert, O'Donoghue is innocent of any blame as a participator in the murder of Thomas Scott, of what benefit will the desired amnesty be to him? It was for this terrible offence against the laws of God and man that Louis Riel was made an outlaw and forbid an asylum in Canada for the term of five years. The punishment was unwarrantably light, considering the enormity of the crime; and many who now ask for O'Donoghue's release upon the same terms were the loudest in condemnation of the Government act. But we have the evidence of Mr. Donald A. Smith and other reliable gentlemen, who were eye-witnesses of all that transpired in Manitoba during the periods referred to, that O'Donoghue was a leading spirit in the Scott murder, and equally as guilty as Riel or Lepine. Furthermore, he planned a Fenian invasion of the Province shortly after, with the ostensible purpose of rekindling the rebellious feeling and exciting opposition to constituted authority. These facts are of themselves sufficient to place the individual for whom amnesty is asked beyond the pale of executive clemency, or at any rate to exclude him from the five years' banishment. The plea that whereas O'Donoghue is an Irish Canadian he is denied the same grace extended to a French Canadian, is equally absurd and inconsistent. For complicity in the so-called Fenian raid Louis Letendre was arrested, convicted and sentenced to death. His sentence was afterwards commuted to twenty years' imprisonment, and subsequently to twenty years' banishment. He was a British subject of the French Canadian nationality. No one is seeking to have his punishment removed or an alleviation of his sentence.

But the chief interest attached to this amnesty agitation is found in the fact that Mr. Bowell, Mr. White and other defenders of the Crown and Constitution in Canada are foremost in begging mercy for O'Donoghue. Our readers have not forgotten the scenes following the Scott murder. These very super-loyal Orangemen then made the welkin ring with their shouts for stern retribution. There was no talk of amnesty or clemency then. The blood of the murdered man cried to heaven for vengeance, and they (the Orangemen) were determined to relax no effort to bring the guilty to justice. We have shown that, according to the evidence of Donald A. Smith and others, O'Donoghue was as deeply stained with the blood of "poor Scott" as either of the men against whom the judgment of the law has been levied. We have also shown that he added treason to murder by aiding and abetting a raid upon the Province of Manitoba, with the avowed intention of stirring up the ill-feeling that had scarcely yet subsided. Sir John lifted his hands in mock imprecation at Peterborough and "wished to God that he could catch him (Riel)." At the same time he was using the public funds in aiding Riel's escape from the only place where it was possible for him to be caught. O'Donoghue is, if possible, more guilty than Riel. He has fled the country and deserves no sympathy—no clemency from the Canadian Government and people. On Thursday, however, Sir John, Mr. Bowell and Mr. White were ready to support a resolution declaring that O'Donoghue is a persecuted man; that he is entitled to the same amnesty that has been voted to Riel; and that the Government is withholding this grace only because the subject is an Irish Canadian. It is impossible for party fanaticism to go further.

—A Dunnville fisherman brought to Port Colborne on Tuesday a maskinonge weighing thirty pounds.

—The Dunkin Act is being submitted to the electors of the counties of Brome and Shefford, Quebec. Polling takes place to-day and to-morrow.

Editorial Notes.

The Grand Trunk Railway proposes to introduce steel cars in which to carry grain.

The insurance men of Quebec demand that the Local Government shall refund $40,000 paid under the Stamp Act.

The plaintiff in an assault case at Montreal the other day was a woman 104 years old.

The Chinese population of Toronto now numbers fifteen, and is constantly increasing.

Mr. Rankin, merchant, of Dundas, was knocked down and robbed by two men last Saturday night, while proceeding from his shop to his place of residence.

Great anxiety is felt for Mr. Devlin, M. P. for Montreal Centre, who is now in Savannah, Ga., and unable to travel on account of more serious illness.

Over six hundred persons remained on Sunday evening to take the Sacrament in St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. These are converts by Rev. Mr. Rainsford.

The Chinese laundrymen of Toronto are fighting over rates for doing their work. They are cutting down their expenses terribly. There is no excuse for having a dirty shirt in Toronto now.

On Wednesday evening a farmer named Peter Milne, of the township of Markham, while unhitching his horse, was suddenly seized by three masked men, who gagged him and bound him hand and foot. They then carried him into his residence, stole $228 in cash from his pockets, rifled the house and jumped into his buggy and drove off. There is a vigilance committee in the township, of which Milne is a member, and after lying helpless in the house all night he managed in the early morning to free his hands and to give warning to some of the members of the committee, who started in hot pursuit, but up to the present without success. Mr. Milne is one of the wealthiest farmers in the township, and a leading man.

TOWN COUNCIL

A regular meeting of this body was held last evening at the usual hour.

Present,—His Worship the Mayor, Messrs. S. Hambly, Holden, Pringle, Smith, J. Hambly, Yeomans, Meagher, Ridley, Lingham, Price, Brennan, Patterson, St. Charles and Pope.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS &C.

The following were presented.

From John Doran and Thomas Connor asking for license to sell meat in Baldwin Ward.

From P. M. Nulty *in re* the opening up of William Street.

From Rev. Mr. McLean asking the remission of Mrs. Brodie's taxes.

Several accounts were handed in and read.

The Treasurer's statements for January, February and March were read.

The above were referred to their appropriate committees,

REPORTS.

The Fire, Water & Gas Committee reported recommending that Wm. Connors' tender for lighting the oil lamps and supplying them at $11,50 each be accepted.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of several accounts, also the payment of G. D. Dickson's claim; that Mr. Spry's claim be not entertained, and that Mr. Bleecker's letter *in re* Mr. Rowe's claim be referred to the Solicitor.

The Market and Police Committee reported recommending that Alex. Robertson's tender for clothing and Mr. McCrudden's for boots for the police be accepted.

The Auditors reported having examined the books of the town; that there was no proper cheques on the collection of taxes as the monies were not returned every Monday as the law provides; the Harbor Master is advised to use a receipt-book; the Auditors thought it well that the receipts and disbursements now made by the Clerk should be made by the Treasurer; they pointed out irregularities in disbursements which were paid before they were due; the practice of giving first-class passes ceased since last June; they recommend the use of a cash-book in the Treasurer's office instead of a day-book, and reported that no Sinking Fund existed.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

The several reports were on motion received.

Council went into Committee on Ways and Means, Mr. Patterson in the Chair.

The reports were passed.

The sum of $40 was placed to the credit of the lumbermen for defraying the expenses of putting in the boom at the mouth of the river.

Mr. Pope, with reference to the using of the Town Hall, said he had spoken to Mr. Harrison, one of the Churchwardens, who advised the making of a bill and submitting the same. The congregation had already paid $100.95, which sum was paid for gas, but nothing had been given for heat. He supposed if the bill was made out it would be paid.

Mr. St. Charles moved, seconded by Mr. Patterson, that the Collector be instructed not to press the collection of taxes from those who had asked for remission of the same.

Mr. Holden said an understanding had been come to that the collector could use his discretion with regard to the collection of certain persons' taxes. He was sure Mr. Ockerman would not press any one, and he would like the motion to stand.

Mr. St. Charles said the object of the motion was to prevent anyone being distressed—especially poor people—until their cases had been heard by the Court of Revision.

Mr. J. Hambly agreed with Mr. Holden and would not like to see the motion passed. A motion like this if passed might harrass the Finance Committee, and he therefore urged its withdrawal.

Mr. Patterson said the collector should notify the parties interested so that their cases could be investigated. He thought the resolution should pass.

Mr. Pringle said the collector was the person who knew best from whom to collect. By consent the motion was withdrawn, it being understood that the collector would be instructed how to act in the premises.

Committee rose and reported.—Adopted.

The Auditors' report was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Holden with regard to the Market By-law, said there was not time at the Committee meeting to-day to take action on it, but the matter would be considered.

Mr. Yeomans said the Ferry should now receive the consideration of the Council as complaints were made that the boat did not run early enough, late enough or often enough; there were also objections to the interval of two hours at noon and to its carrying picnic parties. The speaker referred to the provisions of the lease and said the boat did not come up to its requirements. He thought the ferry should come to the upper dock and run more regularly and more often. The trade with Prince Edward was an important one and we should make every effort to bring it here. He urged a reduction of the rates and the taking of action on the matter at once.

In relation to the St. Thomas' Church use of the Town Hall, Mr. Pope moved seconded by Mr. Price that an account of $100 be presented the congregation for the heating of the hall. He said the Church was burned on the 17th Feb., 1876 and the hall had been used since. He thought it cost $2.00 a day for heating the hall and as he thought some action requisite in the premises he named the sum above.

The motion was passed.

Council adjourned.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Saturday, April 14th

After routine, Mr. Laurier moved the reference of the case of Mr. Currier, M.P., involving an alleged violation of the independence of Parliamentary by participation in a contract or agreement with the Government for supplies of lumber to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The motion was carried without debate.

Sir John Macdonald then moved, "That Mr. Speaker do issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out a new writ for the electing of a member to serve in this present Parliament for the electoral district of the county of Lincoln in the place of James Norris, who since his election for the said electoral district has entered into a contract for the public service." He went on to quote at some length from the return recently brought down in reference to the alleged contract.

Mr. Mackenzie pointed out that the mover of the resolution had not been fair enough to follow the example set him in the previous motion to refer the case of Mr. Norris with the other to the Committee of Privileges and Elections. The hon. gentleman did not vouch for the truth of his allegation, and it was only fair that the whole case should be investigated. He moved in amendment the reference of the case to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The amendment was carried on division

Mr Young, as Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee, moved the adoption of the third report, which relates to the Secret Service matter.

Sir John Macdonald said the report did a cruel injustice to himself and other members of the late Government.

Mr. Charlton denied that any injustice was done to Sir John by the report of the Committee, but on the contrary, if it erred at all it erred in an entirely different direction.

Mr. Macdonald, Centre Toronto, reiterated his opinion that some points that would have placed the proceedings of Sir John Macdonald in a more favorable light were ommitted.

Mr. Young and Mr. Workman both spoke in support of the report.

A division was then taken, and the motion carried:—Yeas, 82; Nays, 60.

A large number of the supporters of the Government having left the House under the impression that the debate would be continued after recess.

It being six o'clock the Speaker left the chair.

After recess,

The House went into Committee of Supply, and passed a number of items under the head of Public Works, without much discussion.

TENDERS FOR COAL.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned at his office, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, and marked "Offers for Fuel," will be received until noon

ON THE 5TH MAY,

FOR HARD and SOFT

COAL!

Required for the following Public Institutions, namely:

Asylum for the Insane, Toronto.

About 800 Tons of Hard Coal, Lehigh, Scranton or Pittston, and 350 Tons of Soft Coal, (of which 100 Tons is to be delivered at Pumping House on the Bay.)

Asylum for the Insane, London.

About 1,000 Tons of Soft Coal, and 100 Tons of Hard Coal.

Asylum for the Insane, Hamilton.

About 500 Tons of Soft Coal, (130 Tons of which to be delivered at Pumping House in the City), and 80 Tons of Hard Coal.

Asylum for the Insane, Kingston.

About 1,400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 30 Tons Hard Coal.

Central Prison, Toronto.

About 650 Tons of Soft Coal, and 40 Tons of Hard Coal.

Institution for the Blind, Brantford.

About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 50 Tons of Hard Coal.

Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville.

About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 30 Tons of Hard Coal.

The Coal to be delivered at the respective Institutions in a manner satisfactory to the undersigned and the authorities of such Institutions, by the 1st August next.

Specifications and forms of Tender to be had on application to the undersigned, or to the Bursars of the Institutions named.

Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of the Contract, or for each of the Contracts, as Tenders will be received for the whole supply, or for each Institution separately.

The Lowest Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. W. LANGMUIR,
Inspector of Asylums, Prisons, &c.,
for the Province of Ontario.
Toronto, April 17th, 1877. 3tawtd

BEST BLINDS!

20c Per Foot, 20c

—AT—

FLINT & HOLTON'S.

WILLIAM MACKAY,
House, Real Estate, Insurance
And Collecting Agent,
No. 27 Bridge St., Belleville.

Houses to Rent and For Sale. Farms For Sale.

PARTIES having Houses to Rent, or Real Estate for Sale, or parties wishing to Rent or Purchase Houses or Farms please call.

Prompt attention to Collections.

April 16, 1877.

DIVISION OF PROFITS

OF THE

CANADA LIFE

Assurance Company.

ASSURERS joining before 30th April will rank for a YEAR'S PROFITS in excess of those joining after that day, thus sharing in FOUR YEAR'S PROFITS at next division in 1880, and this important feature is recommended to the consideration of intending assurers.

THE ADVANTAGES

Of joining an old and successful Company like the CANADA LIFE may be judged by the following facts:

1st.—The rates charged are LOWER than those of other Companies.

2nd.—It has the LARGEST BUSINESS of any Company in Canada.

3rd.—The PROFIT BONUSES added to Life Policies are LARGER than given by any other Company in Canada.

4th.—It has occurred that Profits not only EXTINGUISH all Premium Payments, but, in addition, yield the holder an ANNUAL SURPLUS.

Rates for the various systems of Assurance may be learned upon application at the Head Office in Hamilton, or at any of the Company's Agencies.

R. HILLS, Secretary. A. G. RAMSAY, Managing Director.

T. DONNELLY, AGENT, Belleville,

April 16, 1877.

REMOVED!

THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

W W Jones' Old Stand

And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

Including everything that can be found in

A First-Class Dry Goods Store.

The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.

A Call Solicited.

N. H. PETERSON.

April 12, 1877.

New CARPETS

—IN—

BRUSSELS, WOOL,
IMPERIAL, REAL DUTCH
TAPESTY, UNION, &c.

—ALSO—

CURTAINS, in Lace and Rep.

SHEETINGS, TABLE LINENS,
TOWELLINGS, WINDOW HOLLAND
CRUMB CLOTHS, &c., &c.

We invite the attention of our customers to the above goods on account of their present low price.

Geo. Ritchie & Co.,
IMPORTERS.

April 10, 1877.

Alma Mills

FLOUR & FEED STORE.

—(o)—

GREAT

REDUCTION!

IN THE PRICE OF

FLOUR & FEED.

The Alma Mills having been Refitted, and all the Latest Improvements in Machinery put in, including

A PURIFIER, &C.,

ARE NOW RUNNING

NIGHT AND DAY,

Therefore I can keep a full supply of FLOUR AND FEED Constantly on Hand.

The Goods are of the Very First Quality.

AND THE PRICES CANNOT BE BEAT.

LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3.75
" PASTRY " "	4.25
" GRAHAM " "	3.75
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	4.00
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per	1.45
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.35
BRAN, " "	90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	50
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1.25 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.

H. CORBY, Jr.

April 9, 1877. d&w1m

SPRING ROOM PAPERS
AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of

ENGLISH ROOM PAPER

Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it AT VERY LOWEST PRICES:

All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.

Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds

An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.

April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. F. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m]

Dairyman's Assoc'ton

OF

EASTERN ONTARIO.

THE FIRST MEETING

Of this Association will be held in the

CITY HALL, BELLEVILLE

—ON—

Wednesday, 2nd May, 1877,

At 11 o'clock, a.m., when important business will be brought before the meeting, viz.,

"Organization of Eastern Association."

J. C. HEGLER, Secy. W. S. YATES, Vice-President.

Belleville, April 14th, 1877. d1w&wtd

Ladies' Umbrellas!!

MARVELLOUSLY CHEAP!

Zanilla Umbrellas, only 50c each. Silk in proportion.

LADIES' CORSETS.

Dollar Corsets for 50c each.
$1.50 to $2 Corsets for 75c each.

HOSIERY,

VERY CHEAP INDEED, AT THE

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE

TO RENT OR SELL.

THAT desirable house situated on William Street, Taylor's Hill. For particulars enquire of the owner, on the premises.

JOHN DAWES.

Belleville, April 14, 1877.

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

OF

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOTITOIBE UNDERSOLD

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND UNK MB TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ... 6.50 a m
No. Express,.. .. ..6:10 p m
Mixed .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,.. .. ..12:22 a m
Mixed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. ..2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a. .

The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 17.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

School Board.—The adjourned meeting of the School Board takes place this evening in the Council Chamber at the usual hour.

Station Lodgers.—Two tramps were provided with lodgings in the cells last night.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is becoming more popular every day since its reductions from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

The Auditors' Report.—The Auditors' report was presented last night and on motion was referred to the Finance Committee who will report upon it at the next meeting of the Council.

For familes visiting Philadelphia, no more cosy, home like quarters, combined excellent service, unexceptional cuisine, and moderate prices can be found than at the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street.

Licenses.—At the meeting of the License Commissioners to-day Mr. McAnanny was appointed Chairman, and Mr. James Ross Secretary. The result of their session appears in another column.

Appreciated.—The visits of the street sprinkler are greatly appreciated as now the average pedestrian can move through our streets without the fear of being choked with dust.

The "Utica."—An unsuccessful attempt was made yesterday to launch this steamer but from some unexplained cause the launch did not take place. It was thought that she would be got off to-day and be able to commence running tomorrow.

Burglaries in Tweed.—Dr. Pomeroy's drug store, and Jas. Reid's dry good store, in Tweed were entered by burglars last Saturday night, and a quantity of goods stolen from the former, and $55 in cash from the latter.

St. George.—The St. George's Society will have a procession to church on Sunday next when Rev. Dr. Jaques will deliver the sermon. The annual supper will be held at Doctor s Hotel on Monday evening, 23rd inst.

The Ferry.—Councillor Yeomans spoke last evening of the complaints made against the way the ferry was managed and averred that the agreement with the lessee was not carried out. The matter is now in the hands of the Ferry Committee who will doubtless take the necessary action in the premises.

Sleeping in Church.—The "News" says:—Lectures about sleeping in Church delivered from a certain pulpit in this city have no effect whatever. The sleepers will have their nod, and sometimes a good sound sleep, the peal of the organ and the united voices of of the choir being ineffectual to rouse them as the modest remonstrances of the preacher.

Sons of St. Patrick.—At the annual election of officers of the Society of the Sons of St. Patrick, the following gentlemen were elected for the current year. Pres., Nicholas Connors; 1st Vice Pres., John Caughlin; 2nd Vice Pres., David O'Keefe; Treasurer, Sylvester Sidley; Rec. Secretary, James Fahey; Financial Secretary, John Doran; Custodian, William Perkins; Grand Marshall, Edward Morris.

Special Services.—Miss Madie and Miss Geldard, who have been holding for the past two years very successful revival meeetings in the west of the Province, having been invited to Belleville, and will commence a series of special services in the Congregational Church, on Wednesday evening. Meeting each evening at 7:30. The co-operation of all Christians is very earnestly desired.

Important Arrival.— A contemporary says:—The first bumble bee of the season appeared on Saturday afternoon. He crept out of a pile of stones near the market, sunned himself for five minutes, sharpened his tail on a rock and then went for a small boy that was playing marbles near by. He stung him twice over the left eye, hummed joyously around a few moments as if he felt he had done his duty, and then crawled back into his hole again and commenced his spring house-cleaning.

Extended.—We have been shown a telegram received here from the Deputy Minister of Fisheries which states that the season for catching pickerel &c. has been extended to the 1st of May; this permit to be applicable only to this district and fish caught here and sent outside this division are subject to seizure. As the fish are now on their way to the grounds and are full of spawn it is unfortunate that such an order should be allowed.

Interviewing a Ghost.—George Fikes is a ghost and he holds forth in Oswego. He differs very much from the ghosts we read of, inas much as he is a talker. George says he has been dead 100 years; and he likes it. He figured in the time of the American Revolution and when on earth was loyal to his King He gave a reporter of the "Times" a history of local historical events that transpired whilst he was on earth. Two columns of the paper are filled with the report of an interview which took place between his ghostship and the newspaper representative. And yet our experience has taught us that Goodrich is a thoroughly temperate man.

Hair Work.—At Prof. Lovoie's branch store, 304 Front Street (Mitchell's Prince of Wales' Hair Dressing Parlor) there is in stock the largest and finest collection of wigs, hair, &c., yet introduced to the notice of our citizens. The display in the window of this establishment is varied and attractive, and invariably elicits the attention of passers by, for in addition to the show of hair work is a figure which by means of an ingenious mechanical apparatus, raises the wig from the head and lowers it at the will of the operator. Those who are affected with baldness should call at this store, where a nice selection of skilfully made wigs can be procured. The establishment is in charge of Miss Barrett, a very competent and obliging official, one who thoroughly understands all the details of the business, and who, we are assured will give every satisfaction to those who may favor her with a call.

Police Court.

(Before A Diamond, Esq., P. M.)
Tuesday April 18 h.

THE MARKET BY-LAW.

The adjourned case of R. N. Bennett was dismissed.

The case against Mrs. McCormack was enlarged till Monday.

ST. THOMAS VESTRY.

The adjourned meeting of the Vestry was held in the Town Hall yesterday afternoon. In the absence of the Rector the chair was taken by F. McAnanny. Esq.

The Vestry Clerk read the minutes of the former meeting, which were confirmed,

Moved by A. R. Dougall, seconded by D. Ackerill, that the report of the Auditors be read. Carried.

The Auditors report was then read, showing in the general account receipts amounting to $543,99, expenditure $541,-11, leaving a balance of $2 83.

The Rectory account stands as follows:—
Subscriptions collected, $216,00.
Accounts paid, $216.
Liabilities still due on the Rectory, $301,99.
Amount of subscriptions still due $172,-00.

On motion the report was adopted and confirmed.

Moved by A. R Dougall, and seconded by Dr. Hope, that in the opinion of this vestry it is expedient to rebuild St. Thomas' Church, and that steps for that purpose be taken by this vestry, on condition and as soon as, and not before, the Rector of St. Thomas' Church shall signify in writing to this vestry that he will hereafter use in St. Thomas' Church a fit and proper communion table, and not a box altar. and that he will not (except when standing and reading the proper service at the end of the table) turn his back to or sideways to the congregation when reading the services in St. Thomas' Church, but conduct the services as such were conducted in St. Thomas Church before he took charge of the parish; and that no other innovations will be introduced by him in the services, furniture or ornaments, either in the Church to be rebuilt or where such services may be held *pro tempore*; and on condition that he will endeavor to work harmoniously with the Churchwardens and Congregation; and that the obnoxious articles in St. Thomas' Church, where the Congregation now worship, and St. Paul's Church, be forthwith removed.

Yeas, 32; nays, none. Carried unanimously.

The Vestry adjourned *sine die*.

THE LICENSE ACT.

The following list contains the names of those who have obtained licenses for the sale of liquor for the current year:—

BELLEVILLE.

Taverns—P Fitzpatrick, E Arkles, Saye & McLaren, S Kyle, W Doctor, W Hunter, P O'Brien, J Mackie, Gibson & McCammon, G Brown, M O'Grady, J McGuire, W Power, J Henderson, G Hoggard, Mrs S Griffin, P Farrell—Total, 17.

SALOONS.

P H Hambly, F Trusisch, Mrs Perkins, R H Bonter—Total, 4.

WHOLESALE.

Pitceathly & Kelso, E Potts, H Corby—Total, 3.

SHOPS.

Hooey & Son, W Bullen, A Morton, W Mikel, Ross & Davies, G Wallbridge, W McRae—Total, 7.

TRENTON.

Taverns—T Crampton, T Holbrook, H McKeown, W Gilbert, A Philion, A Parent, C Ruport—Total, 7.

Shops—G H Gordon, H Gill—2

FRANKFORD

Taverns—J Greenly, D Brennan, G Clarke—3.

A DENIAL.

To the Editor of the Ontario.

Belleville April 16, 1877.

Dear Sir,—Will you kindly favor me with a correction of the *Whig's* local, which appeared in the Ontario yesterday:

—No offer has been made to Prof Oldham either by myself or the authorities of Albert College; neither have I any intention of leaving Belleville up to the present.

Believe me,
Yours truly.
H. Whish.

To the Editor of the Ontario.

SABBATH DESECRATION.

Dear Sir.—Having heard much about the revival or religious awakening, which has been going on for some time in this town, in which many evangelical churches seem to be more or less engaged, and knowing that a number of very zealous persons have made a specialty of calling on people at their places of business to offer good advice, &c. it seems somewhat incongruous that open desecration of the Sabbath—punishable if I mistake not, by Statute—should be tolerated with impunity. For instance a boat building shop within sight, and certainly in hearing, of "Daniel's Band," was on Sunday night last lighted up, and judging by the sound the tools in use were not like those employed in the construction of Solomon's temple. In fact, boat building on Sunday seems to be considered no harm, as a workshop not far from the residence of at least two or three estimable leaders in the band referred to, is in full operation on Sundays, and has been mostly all winter, much to the annoyance of morally disposed residents in the vicinity. Here then are opporunities for some zealous "Daniels" to "beard the lion in his den," and abate a growing blot on the fair fame of our town. In this connection, may I ask if it is not an infraction of the law to sail yachts and to run other craft on the bay for pleasure on the Sabbath? If so, why is no complaint ever made against the parties.

Yours truly
Consistency.

Belleville, April 16, 1877.

—Mr. Sam'l Lee, of Welland, is nearly 105 years old, having been born in Ireland in 1772. He has never used tobacco or liquor, and is still smart and in good health.

—Favorable reports have been received of the prospects of the Newfoundland seal fishery.

—The whole of the Cayuga Bridge is to be replaced by iron, as was originally intended, and will be again ready for traffic by Monday or Tuesday.

SIR JOHN'S CENSURE.

The Hamilton "Times" Ottawa correspondent thus pricks the Tory bubble, "anent" the small majority for the Government on the final adoption of Mr. Charlton's Secret Service Report:—

"The Tories are endeavoring to explain the small Liberal vote on Saturday anent the adoption of Mr. Charlton's Secret Service report by saying that a large number of the Reformers shirked the division, feeling that the report was partisan and unjust to Sir John Macdonald, who is known to have expressed his satisfaction with the vote. At Dr. Tupper's suggestion, he left the House the instant he had made his remarks protesting against the report, and was not, therefore, present when the division took place. The facts are that Lord Dufferin had invited fully one-third of the members of the House of Commons to a dinner in the evening at Rideau Hall, and that of the number two-thirds were Liberals. Nobody expected the report, if it came up at all, would be pressed to a division before six o'clock; on the contrary it was expected that Mr. Plumb would move an amendment that his minority be adopted, and that at least a day's debate would ensue. In fact, Mr. Plumb was sitting in his seat with his desk heaped with papers and notes and was expected to rise at every moment. It was more than suspected that at a hurried conference at 5-15 p. m. between Messrs. Bowell, Tupper, Kirkpatrick and Plumb, the whole tactics were changed; they knew that Mr. Macdonald, of Toronto, would speak and it was determined to let him do so, hoping there would be some effect in that, as he was a supporter of the Government, and that no Conservative should protest against the report and as soon as possible force a division, they seeing that the Government supporters were light in numbers, nearly all those invited to the dinner being at their lodgings preparing to attend. Therefore, when the Speaker first ordered the members to be called in, Dr. Tupper and Mr. Gibbs cried, "No, no!" and Mr. Macdonald arose, it is said, at a signal from Dr. Tupper, who certainly turned towards him and beckoned. When Mr. Macdonald finished, and had been replied to by Messrs. Young and Workman, it being a few minutes of six o'clock, there were clamors for a division which took place, revealing that the Opposition was present in full force, while the Government were thirty-three short of their usual supporters. There was clearly a mistake somewhere, and a good deal of talk has resulted as to who was guilty of it, but it is the purest nonsense to say that a single member of the Reform Party shirked the vote. This will be proved in a future occasion, perhaps, when the tables will be turned to some effect on the Opposition."

ABSIT OMEN.

A correspondent sends the London "Truth" the following historical parallel:—In 1761, Mr. Pitt resigned the Premiership, having just created his wife a peeress. In 1868, Mr. Disraeli resigned the Premiership, having just created his wife a peeress. In 1766, Mr. Pitt created himself Earl of Chathan and Viscount Pitt, and held both the Premiership and the Privy Seal. In 1876, Mr. Disraeli created himself Earl of Beaconsfield and Viscount Hughenden, and held both the Premiership and the Privy Seal In April, 1778, Lord Chatham delivered his last speech in the House of Lords. In April, 1878, Lord Beaconsfield *Absit omen.*

POLITICAL NOTES.

—Sir John in Sir John's paper thinks it too bad that Sir John should be condemned for Sir John's Secret Service money manipulations, which is only natural.

—Mr. Orton's temperance zeal, like Sir John's, runs more in the direction of precept than practice. Mr. Orton owns a brewery. Likewise that whiskey jug.

—Senator Macpherson wants to know how it is proposed to restore the financial equilibrium. Perhaps the Government might induce Senator Macpherson to equalize things by another draft on the Northern Railway.

—We are sorry to hear that Mr. Blake's health is none of the best, and that his departmental labors are telling on him.

—Let us see. It must be Mr. Macmillan's turn to move a vote of want of confidence. "Tommy, make room for your uncle."

—During the past fortnight Mr. Rykert attacked no less than 276 of the votes cast for Mr. Neelon at the last election. Mr. Hodgins, who acts as counsel, was able to prove 275 of them perfectly good. The look out for Mr. Rykert is "blue."

BY TELEGRAPH.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

THE CRISIS IN THE EAST.

Russian Reinforcements Moving

Proposed Review of the Treaty of Paris.

EASTERN MOHAMMEDANS ROUSING.

Declaration of War on the 21st Instant.

London, April 16.—Advices from the East to-day report the situation unchanged. There is less excitement on the London Stock Exchange.

In the House of Lords Earl Granville criticized the Government's policy touching the Eastern Question. He said the protocol was nearly the same as the Berlin memorandum. Why did not the Government accept that? The united action of Europe at that time might have prevented war. Lord Derby vindicated the protocol. He said under existing circumstances it was best not to say anything conerning the future.

Advices from Central Asia state that serious difficulties between the Russians and the Mohammedans are apprehended.

A Pesth dispatch says it is expected that war will be declared at Kicheney on April the 21st

A Belgrade special announces that General Fadaieff, the Russian Panslavist, has arrived there, and his visit is regarded as significant.

A Vienna correspondent says the Czar expected to stay at Kicheney ten days. Extensive floods prevail between Unghenni and Jassy. The Pruth is much swollen. The railway from Unghenni to Kicheney, on which the army depends, is in a very insecure state, and the engineers apprehend great difficulties in keeping up the service during the passage of the troops.

Constantinople, April 16.—The departure of the Russian Embassy from the city is postponed until Thursday, when the ultimatum arrives.

Vienna, April 16.—The Grand Duke Nicholas reviewed the army of Pruth yesterday. Nine new Russian army corps are *en route* to join the Southern army.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

The Southern Difficulty.

NEGRO INSURRECTION FEARED

TWEED CONFESSES.

A WHOLESALE IMPLICATION.

New York, April 17.—The *Times* Columbia special says Hampton writes to the State officers that he will not decide the question of their official title but deems it his duty to lock up their offices until the Court decides the cases.

The *Herald's* Columbia special says Republican officials yesterday removed their private papers in anticipation of ejectment to-day.

The *Herald's* Atlanta, Ga., special says says that in Oglethorpe Co. The scene of the Luke Johnson riot, a negro named Turner was recently called out of his house and killed by unknown men. Two others were fatally shot in the same way. Eight whites have been arrested on warrants taken out by Luke Johnson. The local volunteer Military Company applied to the Government for arms. Evidence of a negro conspiracy to attack the whites is said to be convincing.

New Orleans specials to the *Tribune* says:—The Packard party declare they will reject the compromise and return it to the Commission. Should the Commission offer a Conservative proposition as an ultimatum, Packard's Legislature will fall to pieces.

The *Times* says there is no more definite prospect of a settlement to-night than there was a week ago; still it is possible some conclusion may be reached within 24 hours.

The *World's* Albany special reports Tweed's counsel has delivered to the Attorney General, Tweed's statement preliminary to an application for release. It is long and exhaustive, giving a complete history of the ring, and producing checks and memoranda. It shows that Senator Woodin, of Auburn, was approached through Senator Winslow concerning his support in passing Tweed's Charter. Finally Tweed transferred to Winslow in person $200,000, to be used in passing the Charter, and to be divided between several State Senators for their influence. After the passing of the Charter Tweed arranged with Hall for municipal appointments.

The confession gives full details of the proceedings of the Board of Audit and division of spoils. It complicates Garvey, Ingersoll, Davidson, Watson and a majority of the Supervisors. Hall's proportion was 10 per cent. He had also an interest in the Brown street cleaning contract. A document purporting to be the record of the proceedings of the Board of Audit, by which Hall secured acquittal, was manufactured by Hall, after the exposure. Hugh Hastings, editor of the N.Y. "Commercial Advertiser," was paid a check for $20,600 after the passage of the Charter with the understanding that it was to go to Woodin, but it was appropriated by Hastings, who also received several smaller checks. Hastings brought Jay Gould to Tweed and in return for passing the Erie Classification Bill, Gould and Fisk gave Tweed the Erie influence. The confession says all painting and book cases in Recorder Hackett's house were paid for by the city. Tweed purchased sufficient votes in the Common Council to secure the passage of any measure. Tweed says that shortly after the publication of the secret accounts, Francis N. Bixby and James O'Brien offered to secure him against further investigation, if he would pay $150,000 toward O'Brien's claim as Sheriff against the city for $296,000. They represented they had influence over Tilden, Judge Barrett and Wm. C. Barrett to quash further steps. Tweed paid them $20,000 cash and mortgages which they afterwards collected for the balance. He understands they secured the same amount from Connolly. Tweed declares the Navarre claim of a million against the city for water meters is a fraud as Navarre's contract was fraudulent. He names Thurlow Weed, but not in equivocal transactions. Tweed does not ask that suits against him be quashed, but that he be released without bail. He declares that his former associates have deserted him and he now owes them nothing.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

Proposed Tichborne Demonstration.

LENGTHENED LITIGATION AT AN END.

SKIRMISHING BETWEEN THE TURKS AND MIRIDITES.

Hurricane in the West Indies.

London, April 17.—In view of the threatened march of a large body of Tichbornites to the House of Commons to present a petition for the release of Arthur Orton, all the troops comprising the London Garrison are to be confined to the barracks after five o'clock this afternoon and held in readiness. It is stated that the petitioners will number 100,000. Kenealy has requested his followers not to participate.

New Orleans, April 17,—District Judge Billings has rendered a favorable decision in the case of Myra Clark Gaines involving millions of dollars worth of property in New Orleans. This ends forty years of litigation in favor of the claimant.

Ragusa, April 17.—Skirmishing continues between the Mirridites and Turks. A rising of the neighboring tribes is thought imminent.

New York, April 17.—The Steamer "Gilsland" from Havana reports a hurricane on April 13th lasting 18 hours on April 14th. Several vessels hove to with loss of sail.

This and That.

—St. Thomas is to have a big shooting match shortly.

—Horses for the old country are bought up near Bruce.

—A vote will shortly be taken in St. Thomas on the proposal to have a $20,000 market.

—The London Township Council thinks an appropriation of $2,000 for roads and bridges sufficient.

—A Londesboro farmer got nineteen pounds of wool from a sheep which he killed the other day.

—The body of an infant (prematurely born) was found at Merriton on last Wednesday morning.

—The smallpox has entirely disappeared from the shores and Islands of Lake Winnipeg.

—Hampton has notified the Chamberlain officials to hand over their positions to his appointees.

—The "Gentiles" at Salt Lake City are agitating for the disfranchisement of the Mormons.

—A prominent vessel broker of Buffalo says that the business prospects are even more gloomy than a year ago. He did not think any real activity would be shown there until about the 20th inst.

—The locomotive engineers on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad struck Saturday night by order of the Brotherhood. The strike had been anticipated for some time, and their places were immediately filled.

—Hon. Stayley Brown, Provincial Secretary of Nova Scotia, died at Halifax on Saturday, of congestion of the lungs. Mr. Brown was present at the prorogation of the Legislature only two days before. He had been a member of the Council for thirty-four years.

—Parliamentary printers are working night and day to get out the reports and evidence of the various Committees. The manuscript sent in by the shorthand writers to the secret Service, Coal, Northern Railway, Immigration and Colonization, Civil Service and Judge Loranger Special Committees may be said to have been in stacks. All the blue books will be large.

LOST.

On Front St., or between the Lower Bridge and R. R. Crossing on the west side of the river, a boys suit of Dark Tweed Clothes cut out but not made up. Any person returning same will be suitably rewarded. Return to this office.

William Garrison.

THE DIVIDING LINE.

In the Rocky Mountains there is said to be a house so situated, that the rain falling on one side is carried to the Pacific, while that falling on the other, is carried to the Atlantic. So there are places in life where one overt act changes prosperity, health, and happiness, into disaster, sickness, and early death. In America many thousands die anually of consumption, and yet Dr. Pierce's Golden medical discovery will, in its early stages, effect a perfect and permanent cure of this fatal disease. It corrects and purifies the blood, thus striking at the root of the evil. When complicated with catarrh, sore throat, and hoarseness, use Dr Sage's Catarrh Remedy in connection with the Discovery. If the liver be torpid and bowells irregular, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. For papticulars of treatment, see "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," over 900 pages, $1.50. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

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The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of those medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of maraculous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remedy and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint botties $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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AT VERY LOW PRICES,
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A continuation of your patronage is kindly solicited.

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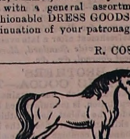

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March 28, 1877. d&w3m

LAST CALL.

Having made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

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IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS,
Commencing Thursday April 12th,
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or linden green, of a creamy-green color, the shade of the heart of new lettuce or blossoming snow-ball.

THE HATS THAT ARE TO BE.

A small cottage chip bonnet, close at the sides, gradually deepening at the back into a tiny cape, was trimmed across the front with a wreath composed of large rosebuds, alternating in regular rows of pale pink, creamy pink, and interspersed with small flat bows of pale blue satin ribbon lined with rose color; above this was a wreath of delicate blue forget-me-nots, and a third half-wreath forming another row was a combination of the first, which was continued on to the back, and there united to long streamers of the exquisite reversible faint blue satin rose-lined ribbon. The artistic and harmonious effect of this bit of genius was a study in itself, and will make a golden-haired beauty look like an angel. A white chip, with coronet front, was trimmed with wide folds of gold-brown silk serge and moonlight blue; inside the brim was a lovely cluster of delicate forget-me-nots and dark brown real heather; a similar cluster was placed on top; very long streamers fell behind of wide pale blue silk, cut bias and fringed to the edge. Another coronet shape in Tuscan straw had *tilleul* green folds across the top and front, mixed with Metternich green silk and a wreath of the lily of the valley of greenish cast. At the back fell a cluster of small calla lilies and drooping hazel blossoms. A snowy white chip capote has a curtain band behind, piped on each end with satin; the top was a perfect wilderness of flowers grouped in a cluster and half-wreath of the strongest contrasting colors, blue forget-me-nots, ten dark red Agrippina roses, mignonette, five creamy Marguerites, several Permese violets, and dark heather, with clover and natural grasses. There were long streamers at the back of white lace, to be crossed behind and fastened beneath the chin.

PERFECT FAITH.

John B. Gough related the following pathetic story in a lecture at St. Louis recently:

A story was told of a street boy in London who had both legs broken by a dray passing over them. He was laid away in one of the beds of a hospital to die, and another little creature of the same class was laid near by, picked up with famine fever. The latter was allowed to lie down by the side of the little crushed boy. He crept up to him and said: "Bobby, did you ever hear about Jesus?"

"No, I never heard of him."

"Bobby, I went to mission school once, and they told us that Jesus would take you to Heaven when you died, and you'd never have hunger any more, and no more pain, if you axed him."

"I couldn't ask such a great big gentleman as he is to do anything for me. He wouldn't stop to speak to a boy like me."

"But he'll do all that if you ax him."

"How can I ax him if I don't know where he lives, and how could I get there when both my legs are broke?"

"Bobby, they told me at mission school as how Jesus passed by. Teacher says as he goes around. How do you know but what he might come around to this hospital this very night? You'd know him if you was to see him."

"But I can't keep my eyes open. My legs feel so awful bad. Doctor says I'll die."

"Bobby, hold up your hand, and he'll know what you want when he passes by."

They got the hand up. It dropped. Tried again. It slowly fell back. Three times he got up the little hand, only to let it fall. Bursting into tears, he said:

"I give it up."

"Bobby, lend me yer hand; put yer elbow on my piller; I can do without it."

So one hand was propped up. And when they came in the morning the boy lay dead, his hand still propped up for Jesus. You may search the world and you cannot find a grander illustration of simple trust than that of the little boy who had been to mission school once.

PUTTING THE BABY TO SLEEP.

The young rascal has no more idea of going to sleep than the man in the moon. He deftly clutches me by both earrings, and, throwing himself upon his feet in a manner calculated to make the most fond mamma's teeth chatter, and seizing my frizzes by way of steadying himself, he firmly grasps my back-comb, which he only relinquished at my most earnest and repeated solicitations. Finding less comfort there than he had reason to expect, he proceeds to explore my eyes, nose, ears and mouth with his chubby forefinger, emphasizing the research by trying his teeth on the aforesaid members. Anatomy exhausted, he turns to pastures new. Do not imagine that I have been an idle recipient of these fond attentions. No! I have been sweetly chatting, trotting and rocking. I have tenderly given "Sweet and low," "Sleep, baby dear." I have done "The Crooked Man," "Humpty Dumpty," with variations, "Hickory, Dickory, Dock," &c., &c., and having conscientiously finished "Mother Goose"—not even disdaining such unmusical productions as "Pop goes the Weasel" and "Mother, may I go out to Swim," in the illusive belief that they are calculated to stay and fix the wandering eyes and attention of Young America—I proceed to more solemn business. I divest myself of earrings, neck-tie, and all other snares, and, metaphorically rolling up my sleeves, I strike into the "Psalm tunes." "O to grace how great a debtor" is a comfort to me, but its soporific influence is confined to churches. Baby still pokes and clutches at my throat. "Hold the Fort" rings out with the heat of combat. Baby evidently intends to do so. Having gone through my repertoire of major tunes with no success, I conclude to resort to heroic treatment. With groaning that cannot be uttered I lay the young man down and firmly clasp him in my arms. Result—a very exasperated boy, a year old, who struggles and squalls most lustily. Being a little stronger, I hold on and solemnly chant, "Hark from the tombs." Five minutes of this innocent diversion convinces me that the child must have a pain. Perhaps the little love has the stomach ache. His ear may ache. He throws his little fists about fiercely, and as he reaches for water so sweetly I let him up, feeling that I have been unwarrantably stern and severe. Still I do sometimes wonder how a few judiciously administered spanks would sound. Having thus solaced myself, we go at it again—sing, scratch, poke, trot, rock, walk, drink, kiss, scold, pet—eyes preternaturally wide open, dinner getting cold down stairs. At length, when we are both exhausted, those dear little peepers do close tight, and, snuggling down close to my heart, he resigns himself to the inevitable. How sweet the cherub is!

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD.

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

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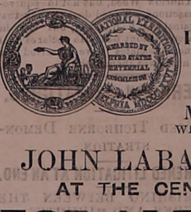

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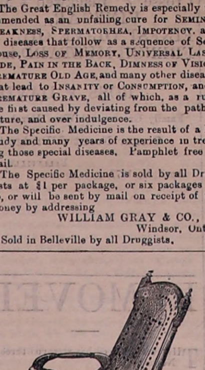

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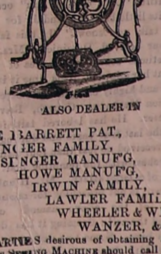

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THE SECRET SERVICE MONEY INVESTIGATION.

We give the conclusion of the report adopted by the Public Accounts Committee of the House of Commons in relation to the Secret Service money doings. Sir John A. Macdonald's departures from his duty are firmly yet temperately pointed out:

WHAT THE CANADIAN PRACTICE SHOULD HAVE BEEN.

The Canadian law contains no special provision for Secret Service expenditures, and consequently some of the special safeguards provided for by the English law are absent.

Under the Canadian law and Orders in Council, and the resolution of the Public Accounts Committee of May 29th, 1872, the practice should have been as follows:

(1) The Ministers in whose names the fund was placed should have certified that the money paid therefrom had been disbursed for the service of the country.

(2) The amount disbursed during the fiscal year should have been entered in the Public Accounts for the year, as expended for Secret Service.

(3) The amount unexpended at the end of the fiscal year, remaining at the credit of the special account of the sub-Committee of Council on Secret Service, should have been treated as a lapsed balance, under Act 31 Vic., Cap. 5, sec. 28, which, without making any exception whatever, provided that: "All balances of appropriations which remain unexpected at the end of the financial year shall elapse and be written off."

(4) Any moneys standing to the credit of any Sub-Committee of Council or Secret Service should have been treated as remaining at the credit of the sub-Committee, notwithstanding any changes in the persons of the Ministers composing the sub-Committee; and thus, in case any such person ceased to hold office, his interest in or control over the moneys would there end, and his successor in office would succeed to his rights and responsibilities in this and any other respects. The same rule would, of course apply, in the case of the resignation of all the members of the sub-Committee.

(5) If, however, it were supposed that owing to the form of the deposit or otherwise, any member of the sub-Committee retained after his resignation control over the fund, or in case any portion of the fund had been before his resignation placed in the individual control of any member of the sub-Committee for expenditure, but had not been actually disbursed, such individual could not, after his resignation, have any right to disburse the fund, but would be bound to hand it over to those who had succeeded to his responsibilities.

In this connection reference may be made to the 42nd clause of the Act respecting the liability of Public Account, 31 Vic., cap. 5, which provides that:

"If any officer or person has received public money for the purpose of applying it to any specific purpose, and has not so applied it within the time or in the manner provided by law, or if any person having held any public office and having ceased to hold the same has on his hands any public money received by him as such officer for the purpose of being applied to any specific purpose to which he has not so applied it, such officer or person shall be deemed to have received such money for the Crown for the public uses of the Dominion, and may be notified by the Minister of Finance to pay such sum back to the Receiver General, and the same may be recovered from him as a debt to the Crown in any manner in which debts due to the Crown may be received, and a legal sum may, in the meantime, be applied to the purpose to which such sum ought to have been applied."

(6) An account should have been kept of all sums spent, and this, more especially, after the resolution of the Public Accounts Committee of May 29th, 1872.

WHAT IT ACTUALLY WAS.

These provisions appear to have been disregarded. For example:

(1) No certificate or voucher of the disbursing Ministers was given.

(2) The entries made (without any such certificate) of amounts expended in the earlier fiscal years after Confederation were, as compared with the bank account, invariably incorrect.

(3) The unexpended balances were not surrendered.

(4) With reference to the expenditure of the vote for 1867-68, a sum was entered in the Public Accounts as actually expended in the fiscal year, and an assumed balance was carried forward as an asset. This practice was repeated for the two following years, and thereby Parliament was practically told that the amount entered as expended in each fiscal year had been actually expended in that year, and that the balance was being carried forward for expenditure in future years.

This course was, however, without any communication of the change, departed from in the case of the large vote of $75,000 for the service of the fiscal year 1870-71, the whole of which sum was entered as actually expended in that fiscal year, although at the close of the year $50,754 04, or more than two-thirds of the amount, remained unexpended, $35,000 of which was actually not placed to the credit of the sub-Committee until three days after the close of the fiscal year.

The result of this alteration of system without communication to Parliament was to lead Parliament to believe that the Secret Service Fund voted for 1870-71, was exhausted, when in fact there remained thereof unexpected over $50,000.

(5) A considerable part of this balance, which should have been written off, was spent in subsequent years.

(6) No entry of the existence or of any subsequent actual expenditure of this balance was ever made in the Public Accounts, and its existence and the dealings therewith would have remained unknown but for the events which have led to the present enquiry.

(7) No account of the sums spent for Secret Service was kept, even after the resolution of the 29th May, 1872 which expressly stated that such an account should be kept for the purpose of a confidential audit.

It has been suggested that this resolution does not apply to moneys spent subsequent to its date in discharge of prior claims, but the Committee cannot concur in this view. The clear and conclusive language of the resolution embraces all sums spent subsequent to its date.

(8.) The sum of $8 398 83 of the public moneys of Canada was, without the authority of Parliament, appropriated to, and expended for, Secret Service.

(9.) Two sums amounting in the aggregate to $15 584 were drawn from the Secret Service Special Account and applied

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The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 18.

Mr. Norris has followed the example set by Mr. Currier and resigned his seat, it is said under the advice of his friends. A new writ for Lincoln will therefore be issued accordingly.

Mr. Bowell is very anxious to win a name that will live in the history of his country. His anxiety may be gratified. He learn that proceedings will probably be taken against him on the ground that in 1874 his paper received $100 for printing. *O tempora, O mores!*

Insurance agents are in Ottawa "thick as autumnal leaves in Allambrosia." They are lobbying the Senate with reference to the Government Life Bill now before that body, and declare that they have far better hopes of success than when the measure was before the Commons.

As will be seen by despatch elsewhere, the "Big Push" case has been again postponed. The valliant Wilkinson refuses to go on with his defence unless Mr. Cartwright appears as a witness. This is only another act in the drama. The wires are managed at Ottawa. Every possible expedient is resorted to in order that a great fuss may be made without getting into Court. Mr. Cartwright's evidence would be of no benefit to the defendant. It is only a desperate attempt to manufacture a grievance. It is a silly one, too.

Hon. Mr. Read is heavy on figures. He is in his element only when quoting statistics and summoning witnesses from integers and fractions. It generally happens, however, that he seldom or never originates an idea, nor does he tell us anything that we have not heard many times before. Mr. Read studies the newspapers faithfully, more especially the *Mail* and Montreal *Gazette*. The figures given by these two representative Tory organs are infallible to him. They never err. Having sufficiently primed himself with figures and logic, he bores the Senate and the country for mortal hours and for no mortal good. His latest "steel rails" exposition was nothing but a stupid rehash of what has been before the public for more than a year. But it answered the honorable gentleman's purpose. A sitting was consumed and nothing accomplished.

MR. CURRIER'S RESIGNATION.

That was a clever piece of acting in the House on Monday, when Mr. Currier, the senior member for Ottawa, vacated his seat, thus confessing his disqualification. Notice had been given that action would be taken to ascertain the extent of his (Mr. Currier's) responsibility as a member of a firm having dealings with the Government. The proceedings were to be identical with those instituted against other members for similar purposes, and Mr. Currier had the same privileges before the Privileges and Election Committee, so far as his own defence was concerned. Instead of submitting his case to this tribunal, Mr. Currier essayed a bit of martyrdom and resigned his seat. He has issued an address to the electors of Ottawa asking for a renewal of their confidence. Our Ottawa correspondent mentions the names of Mayor Waller and ex-Mayor Featherstone as probable candidates in opposition. Either of these gentlemen would run well, but we expect to see Mr. Currier returned.

WHO'S THE COWARD?

It will be remembered that when speaking at Watford last fall the Premier referred to some of Sir John's picnic slanders, and announced his intention to hold the Opposition leader responsible for his assertions on the floor of the House. Tory organs are now hinting that] the session is nearly over, and yet not one word or intimation of a charge from the Premier has been heard. This is simply a falsehood, to use plain English. Immediately after the session opened Mr. Mackenzie called attention to the statements that the Right Honorable member for Kingston had made, during his bun-feeding tour, and challenged him to formulate a charge before the House of like import. It is Sir John who has exhibited cowardice, and not the Premier. What possible action could he (Mr. Mackenzie) have taken to bring Sir John to book, more than he did? He declared the charge, that contracts for public works were not always given to the lowest tender, false, and asked that an opportunity might be given him to prove what he asserted. It remained with the immaculate Sir John to make good his accusation by producing such evidence as would convince the House that a system of nepotism or favoritism had been practiced. Instead of doing so he has contented himself with originating other and equally unfounded imputations of corrupt and irregular transactions by members of the Government. Doubtless the intention is to throw as much mud as possible, with the hope that some of it will stick and besmirch the characters of Reformers. The silence of Sir John with regard to the contract slander is only a part of the despicable system of political warfare that has been adopted by the Opposition.

THE WAR.

Our morning despatches announce that the Russian Charge de Affaires will leave Constantinople to-morrow, and war be formally proclaimed. Prince Gortschakoff has issued a circular to the Powers, declaring that Russia goes to war only for the protection of the Christians in Turkey, and charging the Porte with forcing the conflict.

SAMPLE LOGIC.

We suppose there is a time in the existence of almost every person when responsibility for expressions cannot be expected. This may arise from several causes. At the present juncture of our political affairs the Tory mind is sorely distressed. There is just now a crisis in the party, and partisan members are inclined to talk something else besides nonsense. For instance, we have the Kingston *Daily News* instituting a comparison between Sir John's "irregularities," as revealed in the Secret Service Committee, and alleged corrupt payment of public money by the present Government. The editor gravely assumes that whereas Sir John has been censured and a demand made for a refund of the $6,600 "irregularly" paid out, the Opposition have an equal right to move for refunds of such sums as have been improperly expended by the Government. Is the writer daft? What possible analogy is there between the two? Sir John was not a responsible Minister of the Crown when he chequed out the above amount. He had no more right to the use of that money than the editor of the *News*. No attempt has been made to go beyond Sir John's irresponsibility. When at the head of the Government he may have practiced "irregularities," but the late investigation did not presume to enquire. Mr. Mackenzie is responsible to the people for his use of the public funds. So long as a majority in the House sustains him the Opposition cannot constitutionally do more than make motions and indulge in accusations. In this they have succeeded admirably. We have been taught to believe that under the system of Government that prevails in Canada the majority rules. Perhaps the editor of the *News* will call Mr. Mackenzie's support in the House a servile and corrupt majority. Be it so. No doubt the gentlemen included are equally as convinced that the said editor is a prejudiced, partisan judge, and not qualified to institute comparisons of the nature referred to.

Editorial Notes.

Two brothers, named Dubois, left Etchemin on Monday in a skiff, and have not been heard from since. It is feared they are drowned.

Burglaries on an extensive scale have been committed at Hayesville.

Mr. David Coil, a farmer of Houghton, was found dead on the road near Port Burwell Monday evening.

Two hundred men go to work on the Montreal, Portland and Boston road next Monday. It will be open in June.

The transactions in Montreal Bank stock are very great. It is supposed to be speculation. The stock has declined to 172.

A daughter of Mr. Bouin, Montreal, while swinging in the yard fell out of her seat and striking the pavement violently broke her neck.

The wife of a well-known plumber, named Munroe, of Montreal, is suing for a separation on the ground of ill-treatment.

John Bigger, a respectable and very well connected young man, of Toronto made a desperate effort yesterday morning to take his life. He took two ounces of laudanum at one dose. Financial difficulties and the green-eyed monster are supposed to have prompted the rash act.

There are no new developments in the Sykes murder at Sarnia. The body has not yet been found.

GOSSIP FROM THE CAPITAL.

(From an occasional Correspondent.)

> "There is a lust in man no charm can tame,
> Of loudly publishing his neighbor's shame ;—
> On eagle's wings immortal scandals fly,
> While virtuous actions are but born and die."

I presume, Mr. Editor, that even your beautiful "City of the Bay" occasionally has its little bits of scandal, for "people will talk, you know." In this fair Capital of our beloved Dominion, Mrs. Grundy sometimes conceives the idea of gossiping about her minister. This time it is the popular and highly esteemed pastor of the Dominion Methodist Church, Rev. W. J. Hunter. He has labored faithfully here for the last four years and during that time has received no less than four calls to other churches, with the tempting bait in each case of a large salary. Mr. Hunter, be it known, is not preaching for money, and in each of the above named cases declined the call; deeming it his duty to remain here. Some two weeks ago, in company with Rev. Mr. Collisson, Rector of the Reformed Episcopal Church in this city, he went to Chicago. Immediately a rumor was circulated and telegraphed to the press that Mr. Hunter was about to accept the Rectorship of Bishop Fallowes' church in Chicago (Reformed Episcopel) and would shortly be consecrated a bishop. It appears that the rumor was without foundation, and the rev. gentleman felt pained that it should have had circulation. On Sunday morning last he told his congregation that he would hold a society meeting after the sermon in the evening, when he wished to make some remarks about the rumor that had been industriously circulated by scandal-mongers, during his absence from Ottawa. The Ottawa *Citizen* states that on Sabbath evening he disabused the minds of his congregation of the rumor industriously circulated through the city about him. That he had received calls from four different places, but had accepted none as yet. I have yet another item which has caused

NOT A LITTLE MERRIMENT.

A few weeks ago one of the city papers narrated the circumstance in a humorous style, of a large sized youth from a neighboring village, who went into a boot and shoe store to purchase a pair of large-sized rubbers.—The, smiling dealer informed his would-be customer that since the opening of Parliament, the members of the Commons and the Senators had bought up all the large rubbers in the city. The young man thought it was a good joke, and doubtless reckoned that it was nice to have a foot that was as large as an "honorable members'." The paper rather turned the joke on the rising man, and said that a considerable portion of his legs was turned into feet. The account set forth in the paper roused the Celtic ire of the boy's "governor" and a few days since the latter rushed into the shoe store with blood in eye, and

"In a troubled sea of pashion toss'd.

in angry tones he demanded the immediate appearance of the proprietor. That functionary having stepped out, the infuriated villager proceeded to abuse the frightened clerk, threatened to withdraw his patronage from a merchant who would furnish such an item for the press—said it was an abominable outrage, and that it was the first time the youth had ever been away from home—it was casting a slur on the young man's character, as he was starting out in life. This is the first time your correspondent ever heard it insinuated that the size of a man's foot seriously affected his character. The clerk soon became alarmed for his own safety, and being a "nice young man," did not relish the idea of having his features marred; for he discovered that his olfactory organ was in close proximity to the elevated fist of the highly aggrieved "parent." The latter rushed out of the store, declaring he "would go for"

"THAT THING CALLED A REPORTER."

> "The flying rumors gathered as they roll'd,
> Scarce any tale was sooner heard than told,
> And all who told it added something new,
> And all who heard made enlargements too.
> In every ear it spread, on every tongue it
> grew."

The House was somewhat suprised yesterday by the

RESIGNATION OF J. M. CURRIER, M. P.,

member for Ottawa city. The firm of which he is a member furnished material for the construction of guards' houses at St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary some time ago. Mr. Currier said he never thought anything of the matter until Mr. Laurier called attention to his position. He has written a letter addressed to the electors, justifying his course; which appeared in the *Citizen* last evening. It is said that Mayor Waller and ex-Mayor Featherstone, will oppose him if a new election takes place. The chances are that Mr. Currier will be returned. It is said that Mr. Appleby will move to refer the case of Hon. Peter Mitchell to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, to ascertain whether, as alleged, the hon. gentleman has been guilty of a breach of the Independence of Parliament Act. The Committee on Privileges and Elections met this morning. Mr. Anglin was in attendance and gave a full account of all his printing contracts with the Government. As you have already published a report of his evidence before the Committee, I need not repeat it.

Ottawa 17th April.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Monday, April 17th.

After an irregular motion by Mr. Bowell touching the absence of the Finance Minister to attend the trial of the Queen *vs.* Wilkinson at Cobourg,

Mr. Currier rose, and after referring to the enquiry pending before the Elections and Privileges Committee touching his seat stated that he had been wholly ignorant of the transaction in question. But as he was advised that the acts of his firm might have deprived him of his status as a member, he desired to save trouble and avoid risk by resigning his seat. He then left the House.

A desultory discussion ensued in which several members took part.

A motion by Mr. McCarthy for returns relating to the Pacific Survey provoked a little cross firing about purchases of supplies and rival steam routes.

Mr. Bertram moved for returns relating to the Intercolonial Railway, Section No. 16.

Dr. Brouse moved a resolution in favor of closing the St. Lawrence Canals on Sunday between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m.

In the conversation which ensued Sir John A. Macdonald, Mr. Holton and others expressed the opinion that the matter should be left in the hands of the Government, while generally favoring the views of the mover, Mr. Mackenzie assenting.

Mr. Irving urged the equalization of the treatment in the management of Railway traffic, and the imposition of rates and tolls.

Mr. Oliver warmly supported the suggestion that there should be a Government Department exclusively presiding over the railway system of the Dominion.

Mr. Mackenzie referred to the demand frequently made for fixing a rate of freights. The question was not so much whether any place was getting freights too low as if there were places where they were too high. Railways must be managed on commercial principles. The reason for through freights being so low was the competition on the leading lines. The proposal was a revolutionary one, and if adopted would ruin many railways. There might be some necessity for interference, but that should be attempted with great caution. He instanced Intercolonial freights as a proof of the influences at work to regulate rates. He paid a fitting tribute to the manner in which Mr. Irving had introduced the subject, but hoped he would be satisfied with the discussion.

Mr. Hector Cameron moved his resolution respecting the Gatineau boom contract.

Mr. Mackenzie pointed out that the papers moved for were brought down last year.

Mr. Bowell's motion for the attendance of Mr. Cartwright on the Wilkinson trial was now reached.

Mr. Cartwright had been asked by both sides some time since to attend, but he had declined in the public interest, as it would be attended with the gravest inconvenience, the only business now being Supply, and prolong the sitting of Parliament. He had stated he would be only too happy to be examined by Commission if the law allowed it.

The motion was after some further discussion declared lost on a division.

Some other matters wroe disposed of, and the House adjourned.

SIDNEY TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

Town Hall, Sidney,
April 16th, 1877.

Council met agreeable to adjournment.

Present—Messrs. Wilmot and Grass (Deputy Reeve), Vandervoort and Blanchard (Councillors).

The Reeve being absent (on account of illness), the chair was occupied by Mr. Wilmot.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Blanchard presented the petition of Jacob Jones and others, praying the Council to open the road allowance between lots Nos. 24 and 25 in the 1st con. through to the 2nd con.—Granted.

Moved by Mr. Grass, seconded by Mr. Vandervoort, that Henry Smith be appointed Pathmaster in beat No. 2 in the 8th con., in place of Clement Armstrong.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Blanchard, seconded by Mr. Vandervoort, that Wm. McMaster be appointed Pathmaster in beat No. 4 in the 1st con., in place of Nelson R. Gilbert, attached to beat No. 14 in the 1st con.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Grass, seconded by Mr. Vandervoort, that James Smith and John Spears be allowed to perform their statute labor on the 40-foot road between lots 6 and 7 in the 4th con., and report to the Clerk of the Council.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Blanchard, seconded by Mr. Vandervoort, that the parties mentioned in the petition of Jacob Jones and others be detached from the beat to which they now belong, and attached to beat No. 14, which beat shall extend from the front of the 1st con. to the 2nd con. line, excepting the east half of lot No. 25 in the 2nd con.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Blanchard, seconded by Mr. Vandervoort, that the parties residing on lot No. 20 in the 1st con. be allowed to perform their statute labor for 1877 on the road leading from the front gravel road to the bay shore, between lots 20 and 21, and that John Kelly superintend the labor.—Carried.

Council adjourned for one hour.

Council resumed.

Moved by Mr. Grass, seconded by Mr. Vandervoort, that the question of the cutting down of Graham's Hill be laid over until the first Monday in May, in consequence of the lowest tender having been withdrawn by the parties tendering.—Carried.

Council adjourned.

—Thirty-seven hundred pounds of buffalo meat were brought into Battleford, Manitoba, a short time ago by Hon. James McKay's men, who report that the snow has all disappeared from the hills in that district, and the buffalo are in fine condition.

—Two locomotives and the passenger cars for the Victoria Railway arrived at Lindsay on Saturday night, and a train proceeded to Kinmount yesterday morning with the chief engineer and paymaster of the Company. Regular trains will run in a few days.

OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

SATURDAY, APRIL 21st.

GOWAN'S Grand ORGANIZTAION

15 PERFORMERS, 15

☞ *ADMISSION 25 and 50 CENTS.*

Seats secured at Harrison's Book Store, without extra charge.

JOE CHENET.

April 17, 1877. 3i

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AT COST

AND

LESS THAN COST.

A large assortment of

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS, FLOWERS, PLUMES, ORNAMENTS, &c., &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Trimmed Hats,
Crape Bonnets,
Dress Caps, Ribbons, &c.,

OFFERED AT GREAT BARGAINS

AT THE

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE

—ASK FOR—

Our New American Corset.

FLOWER POTS.

WE have a complete assortment of Flower Pots now on hand, including every size made, at extremely Low Prices.

F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, April 18, 1877.

WANTED.

A GOOD SERVANT GIRL or WOMAN. Work Light, No family. Apply at This Office.

NEW DRESS GOODS

We are now showing an extensive assortment of Dress Goods suitable for Spring and Summer, in New Fabrics and Colorings, with Trimmings to correspond.

The New Dress Goods are remarkably CHEAP this Season, and we would specially invite the attention of our Customers to these while the stock is complete

Geo. Fitchie & Co.,

IMPORTERS.

April 18, 1877.

FRESH ARRIVALS

—OF—

NEW

GROCERIES

—AT—

ROSS & DAVIES.

CANNED PEACHES,
" PINE APPLE
" TOMATOES,
" GREEN PEAS,
" STRING BEANS,
" SUGAR CORN
Crosse & Blackwell's SARDINES
CANNED LOBSTERS,
" SALMON,
" MACKEREL,
Pots MARMALADE,
" Red Currant JELLY
" Bl'k do
" Red Currant JAM,
" STRAWBERRY JAM.
" RASPBERRY JAM
Crosse & Blackwell's MALT VINEGAR,
FINEST OLIVE OIL,
FRENCH MUSTARD in Pots

ROSS & DAVIES,

Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,

Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,

Belleville, Ont.

April 18, 1877.

REMOVED!

THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

W W Jones' Old Stand

And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

Including everything that can be found in

A First-Class Dry Goods Store.

The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.

A Call Solicited.

N. H. PETERSON.

April 12, 1877.

Alma Mills

FLOUR & FEED STORE.

GREAT

REDUCTION!

IN THE PRICE OF

FLOUR & FEED.

The Alma Mills having been Refitted, and all the Latest Improvements in Machinery put in, including

A PURIFIER, &C.,

ARE NOW RUNNING

NIGHT AND DAY,

Therefore I can keep a full supply of FLOUR AND FEED Constantly on Hand.

The Goods are of the Very First Quality,

AND THE PRICES CANNOT BE BEAT.

LIST OF PRICES.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, per 100 lbs.	$3 75
" PASTRY " " "	4.25
" GRAHAM " " "	3.75
" CRACKED WHEAT " "	4.00
" WHITE CORN MEAL, "	1.75
" CORN MEAL, per "	1.45
CRACKED CORN, per 100 lbs.	1.35
BRAN, " "	90
SHORTS, " "	1.00
SCREENINGS, " "	1.00
CORN, per bushel	65
OATS, "	50
SEED BUCKWHEAT, per bushel	90

I have also on hand TWO CARS DAMAGED CORN MEAL, which I will sell at $1 25 per cwt. COME AND SEE IT.

Delivery Free to any Part of the Town.

H. CORBY, Jr.

April 9, 1877. d&wlm

SPRING ROOM PAPERS

AT REYNOLDS'.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of

ENGLISH ROOM PAPER

Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it AT VERY LOWEST PRICES:

All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.

Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds

An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.

April 6, 1877.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. F. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&wlm

Dairyman's Assoc'ton

OF

EASTERN ONTARIO.

THE FIRST MEETING

Of this Association will be held in the

CITY HALL, BELLEVILLE

— ON —

Wednesday, 2nd May, 1877,

At 11 o'clock, a.m., when important business will be brought before the meeting, viz.,

"Organization of Eastern Association."

J. C. HEGLER, Secy.
W. S. YATES, Vice President.

Belleville, April 14th, 1877. dlw&wtd

TO RENT OR SELL,

THAT desirable house situated on William Street, Taylor's Hill. For particulars enquire of the owner, on the premises

JOHN DAWES.

Belleville, April 14, 1877.

NOTICE

TO

MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand

SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS,

at very moderate prices.

Call and examine for yourselves.

THOS. LINKLATER.
Stove and Tin Shop.

BEST

BLINDS!

20c *Per Foot*, 20c

—AT—

FLINT & HOLTON'S.

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877.

DIVISION OF PROFITS

OF THE

CANADA LIFE

Assurance Company.

ASSURERS joining before 30th April will rank for a YEAR'S PROFITS in excess of those joining after that day, thus sharing in FOUR YEAR'S PROFITS at next division in 1880, and this important feature is recommended to the consideration of intending assurers.

THE ADVANTAGES

Of joining an old and successful Company like the CANADA LIFE may be judged by the following facts:

1st.—The rates charged are LOWER than those of other Companies.

2nd.—It has the LARGEST BUSINESS of any Company in Canada.

3rd.—The PROFIT BONUSES added to Life Policies are LARGER than given by any other Company in Canada.

4th.—It has occurred that Profits not only EXTINGUISH all Premium Payments, but, in addition, yield the holder an ANNUAL SURPLUS.

Rates for the various systems of Assurance may be learned upon application at the Head Office in Hamilton, or at any of the Company's Agencies.

R. HILLS, Secretary.
A. G. RAMSAY, Managing Director.

T. DONNELLY.
AGENT,
Belleville,

April 16, 1877.

WILLIAM MACKAY,

House, Real Estate, Insurance

And Collecting Agent,

No. 27 Bridge St., Belleville.

Houses to Rent and For Sale. Farms For Sale.

PARTIES having Houses to Rent, or Real Estate for Sale, or parties wishing to Rent or Purchase Houses or Farms please call.

☞ Prompt attention to Collections,

April 16, 1877.

Travellers' Guide

GRAND UNK MR TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ...	6 50 a m
No. Express,..	..6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ...	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,..	..12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the unnermen- oned places as follows :—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	..2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 18.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

EXCURSION.—The Belleville Cricket Club intend making an excursion to Massassaga on the Queen's brthday.

ENGLISH MAIL.—The English Mail per S. S. Caspian was distributed at the post office here last evening.

THE CELLS.—The number of prisoners and tramps last night was alike, there being one each.

GOING WEST.—A detachment of regulars and one of Highlanders passed here this morning *en route* to Toronto.

LEGAL.—In Toronto yesterday in the case of Cavanagh v. Hastings M. F. Co., Mr. Mulock obtained a summons to set aside an interlocutory judgment.

GRAIN.—Farmers who have a surplus of grain, are not at all anxious at this time to dispose of it and prefer awaiting war news and high prices.

NOT TRUE.—The report that the protruding nails in the sidewalks were to be driven down today is not true. They will receive attention in the sweet by and by.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is becoming more popular every day since its reductions from $4.00 to $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

FOR MANITOBA.—A party of emigrants from the Ottawa district, bound for British Columbia, passed the depot here this morning bound for their westward homes.

CHEESE FACTORY.—A number of cheese factories in the front townships of the county have resumed operations for the season.

DUSTY.—Clouds of dust were blown about and from the market square to-day. As there is a remedy for this we trust the Market Committee will attend to it and have the square watered.

SHOOTING.—The season for duck shooting being now open, sportsmen are taking advantage thereof and as a result, the num- of wild ducks are lessening. To-day a considerable quantity were brought to town and disposed of.

ATTRACTIVE.—The appearance of the windows of Costello's store is very attractive and the passer-by is sure to be gratified with the tasteful and varied display that meets his gaze as he beholds the many and varied articles that are shown.

MEETING.—A meeting of quoit pitchers of the town is called for Friday evening, to take steps for organization for the season. As there is a number of good quoit pitchers here it is to be hoped there will be a large attendance.

For familes visiting Philadelphia, no more cozy, home-like quarters, combined excellent service, unexceptional cuisine, and moderate prices can be found than at the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street.

GETTING BETTER.—We are pleased to learn that James Cooper, who was severely wounded by being cut with a knife in the hands of John O'Donohue, in the village of Marmora on Thursday evening last, is gradually improving, and is now out of danger.

THE RIVER.—The water in the river is exceedingly low at the present time being not much higher than it is in the summer. The snow went away about as fast as it came during the winter, therefore there were no spring freshets. The water has brought down considerable accumulations of saw dust and mill refuse.

SALMON FRY.—The Fish and Game Protection Society at Peterborough are to receive a few thousand salmon fry from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, to be placed in some of the back lakes. Could not something be done for the Oak Hill pond and that at Roblin's Mills. We would like Inspector Wilkins to take some action in the premises and have these ponds stocked.

THE ROCHESTER.—The "News" of yesterday has the following :—"The steamer Rochester was to have been launched from the ways at Portsmouth today, where she has been rebuilt from the keel upwards, and new boilers put into her. She will probably start on her daily trips on Saturday next. Captain Campbell will again be in command, with Mr. George Crawford as purser, and Mr. Frank O'Brien as steward. Under these officers we have no doubt the new Rochester will be as popular as the old.

THE DUNKIN ACT.—The hotel keepers in Lennox and Addington have held several meetings since the vote was taken on the Dunkin Act, as to the course they would pursue when the Act comes in force on the 1st of May. A final meeting was held in Napanee yesterday at the Tichborne House, when the following resolution was moved by Mr. H. Moore, and seconded by Mr. John Soby :—"That all the hotels and yards be closed on the 1st of May, and also that the boarders be dismissed, omnibuses to be discontinued attending boats and trains, and that no accommodation whatever be granted at any of the hotels." The resolution was passed, all pledging themselves to strictly adhere to the same until a majority of the hotel men, after a fair trial, deem it prudent in their interest to act otherwise. The travelling community will labor under great disadvantages for a time, unless some steps are taken by the temperance party to overcome the difficulties in obtaining accommodation, as the hotel men seem determined on carrying out their intentions to the letter.

POLICE COURT.—There was nothing transacted at this court to-day.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—Gowan's Combination will give a performance in the Opera House on Saturday evening next.

YACHTING.—The yacht built by Captain Cuthbert is owned by Mr. John Bell, a young, though skillful yachtsman. It is expected that she will reach here sometime next week.

THE "UTICA."—This steamer was not launched yesterday. In the first effort to set her in her native element, the ways separated, and jack crews were used to set her in position for moving.

NAVIGATION NOTES.—Both the *Armenia* and *Utica* were expected to-day but neither put in an appearance. The *Highland Beauty* has cleared for Kingston. The scow *Monitor* has made a round trip to Big Island.

PRESENTATION.—On Monday afternoon the female pupils of the Separate School presented Father Farrelly V. G., with a handsome epergne and the ladies of the Select School presented the same gentleman with a dressing case.

THE STAFF OF LIFE.—Consequent on the advance in the price of wheat, bread has also increased in price, and now sells at 14 cts. And yet, we are told, the ordinary loaf doesn't weigh more than four pounds.

AUCTIONEERING.—De Mandeville is creating a sensation by the manner in which he is disposing goods at Cheap John's. His store is now stocked with a large supply of goods and he intends to sell them in a manner that will astonish the natives.

HAPPY.—The average small boy and the man with the big hat say they are happy in view of the fact that the long threatened Eastern war is to take place. Thoughts of Herzegovinia, Bulgaria, Ignatieff, Tchernaieff, Bosnia and Alexandrovitch are now on the top of the mental flow of the thoughtful man.

SMELTING IRON.—Mr. W. H. Fraser, formerly a member of the Canadian Centennial Commission, has—as a member of a company formed for the purpose—been trying his hand to smelt iron at Marmora with petroleum. The experiment so far has not been successful the furnace in which the attempt was made being unfit for the purpose for which it was used. A new furnace is now being built, and when it is completed the experiment will again be tried, So far it has been found impossible to separate the slag from the iron.

KINGSTON ITEMS.—The License Commissoners will meet on Friday next—The citizens generally are annoyed with dust, and now a petition is being gotten up for a watering cart.—The Singer Sewing Machine Company will open their branch store the 1st of May.—Two men stole a cab and drove towards Williamsville where it was smashed.—The market by-law has been amended so that hereafter persons who purchase potatoes can ascertain by weight or measure the quantity they obtain.—The steamers comprising the Mail Line are now ready for the season and will start as soon as the canals are opened.—The members of the Council keep up their reputation as talkers, and prolong their sessions till eleven o'clock.—"Words and Places" was the subject of a lecture delivered by Prof. Ferguson on monday evening.—The Cricket Club met last evening.—The Spring Assizes opened yesterday before Judge Mackenzie, acting in place of Judge Gwynne who is ill.—A red-ribbon club is to be formed in Kingston.—The price of bread has advanced two cents.—By the explosion of a smoking pipe filled with powder James Corcoran nearly lost the sight of one of his eyes.—Judge Mackenzie received a kind welcome from the members of the Kingston bar yesterday.

BOARD OF EDUCAION.

An adjourned meeting of the Board was held last evening at the hour and place.

PRESENT.—Mr. Shepard, the chairman, Messrs. Tennant, Wensley, Doctor, Backus, Northcott, McGinnis, Newbury, Dr. Wilson, Peterson, Peck, I. Diamond and Johnson.

COMMUNICATION.

The Auditors' report was read and is as follows:

To the Board of Education of the town of Belleville.

Gentlemen,—We beg to report that we have audited the recipts and expenditures of the Board for the year 1876, as shown in the Treasurers books, and find that they correspond with the vouchers.

We were favourably impressed with the fact that your Treasurer does not pay out money under any circumstances without the authority of the Board, and also that payments are made by check.

We find that your ledger does not show the proparties which the Board holds in trust, and as they do not, of course, appear in the town books we think they ought to be represented in yours.

We find payments made to several members of the Board for work and goods supplied, and as this is contrary to the Statute we deem it our duty to call your attention to the matter.

We thank Mr. Crozier for the willing assistance rendered us in the Audit, and have pleasure in stating that effeciency and neatness characterize his work.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. JOHNSON } Auditors.
W. KELLY }

Belleville April 17th 1877.

It was referred to the Finance Committee.

The by-lay to amend by-law 15 was read a afirst time and the Board went into Committee of the whole on by-laws—Mr. Johnson in the chair.

The by-law was read a second time. It provides that the rate for School purposes to be paid by those who are annexed to the town for school purposes be reduced from ten mills to five mills.

Committe rose and reported—Adopted.

The by-law was read a third time passed and numbered.

The Chairman requested the introduction of a motion with regard to the keeping in of pupils after the close of the school hour. As the opinion was expressed at the last meeting that this practice should be stopped instruction should be given the teachers accordingly.

Mr. Wensley spoke with reference to supplying the tanks in the several schools with water and regretted that they were not properly supplied. He suggested that the teachers be instructed to have a supply of water on hand.

Mr. Irwin of No. 4 School who was present said that the tank in his school was invariably filled.

Mr. Peck moved seconded by Mr. Northcott that Mr. Henry Frost be authorized to collect the taxes in the school district recently annexed to the town—Carried.

Mr. Johnson moved seconded by Mr. Newbery a resolution embodying the views expressed by the Chairman with regard to keeping in pupils after school hours—Carried.

Board adjourned.

—A party of 65 Scandinavian emigrants passed through Detroit on Saturday on their way toward the setting sun.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

Eastern War Notes.

RUMORED CHANGE OF THE TURKISH MINISTRY.

FORWARD MOVEMENT OF THE RUSSIAN ARMY.

War Not Yet Decided Upon.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 17.—Rumors of the probable overthrow of Edhem Pasha, Grand Vizier, are current. The Sultan's brother-in-law is named as his successor.

A St. Petersburg despatch says the Czar leaves for the army almost immediately. He will inspect the troops, but not take part in the campaign. In official circles it is represented that the present situation compels Russia to act single-handed in a certain degree. She is alone among the Great Powers, having mobilized. The abrupt manner in which the Porte rejected the protocol would make the demobilization of Russia appear like a retreat. Turkey, it is pointed out, desires a conflict and forces war. Russia has during the last five months given a rare example of peaceful intentions and conciliatory endeavors, Turkey urges a decision by arms, and Russia cannot retreat.

A despatch says it has been decided that the Turkish Cabinet shall meet daily to deliberate over the situation. It is reported that on the outbreak of war Russian subjects will be expelled from Turkey.

A Bucharest despatch reports that the movement of the Russian army from Kichoney towards Unghenui has made considerable progress. The troops at the points of concentration near the Roumanian frontier are being continually reinforced, and the troops from the interior are filling the positions vacated by those going to the front.

A Constantinople despatch reports that Col. Valentine Baker's appointment to the command of a brigade has been cancelled on the recommendation of Rediff Pasha, who declares that European officers are not needed. The measures taken to relieve Nicsics will probably lead to an immediate collision with the Montenegrins.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

The Tweed Confession.

Political News from Washington

THE RUSSIAN CHARGE DE AFFAIRES LEAVES CONSTANTINOPLE TO-MORROW.

PRINCE GORTSCHAKOFF'S CIRCULAR.

PORT ROYAL, S. C., April 18.—The sloop of war Powhattan arrived from New York. During a terrific hurricane off Hatteras, April 13th, she lost a seaman overboard.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The *World* says Townsend reports Tweed's confession states that with the exception of Folger, Chapman, and two or three others, all Senators of '68 and '69 received money. The confession is understood to contain a stronger statement and more corroborative proof than the Attorney-General expected.

A New Orleans special to the *Herald* says the Packard Legislative Committee asked the Commission last night if a refusal to accept the compromise would result in the withdrawal of troops. If so, they would dissolve their organization. The Commission would not give a direct answer

The *Herald* says the prosecution of Secretary Robeson for alleged misappropriation of navy funds will be a leading feature of the Democratic policy in the forthcoming session of Congress.

The *Daily Nation* announced yesterday that it will hereafter be the organ of the Whig Republican party.

The *Sun* says it is Hayes' new party organ.

Robert Schuyler Gardiner, of West Va., formerly Major in Hayes' Regiment has been appointed Consul General at Melbourne.

The *Times* says:—It is generally understood that an order for the withdrawal of troops from New Orleans will be issued this week, and take effect the middle of next.

It is probable the Swiss mission will go to George A. Sneider, President of the Illinois National Bank, Chicago, a native of Belgium.

The *Tribune* announces that Col. Pride, Stamp Agent here, formerly of Grant's Staff, has been superceded by Col. Chambers, ex-Confederate.

The *Tribune* says Hall's 10 per cent of the Ring steal was $570,000. When Sweeny fled to Europe the purser of the ship which he sailed in was five hours actively employed counting Sweeny's money, preparatory to giving a receipt. Vouchers stolen from the Comptroller's room in the Court House on the night Connolly betrayed the Ring, and which were reported burned, were shipped to Europe by Oakey Hall. Books showing their receipts still exist.

The *Times* says prominent lawyers declare Tweed cannot be released by the Attorney-General, he acting for the people of the State, who are trustees for the city.

Peter Detlert, a wealthy Brooklynite, in January, six weeks after the his wife's death, married a young girl to whom his eldest son had been engaged. His family left home and sued him for $40,000 claimed to have been left by their mother. Yesterday Detlert caused the imprisonment of his daughters on a charge of stealing the garments they were wearing.

Robert Dickie died from hydrophobia at the hospital last night. The cat which inflicted the fatal bite also caused the death of Samuel Richardson recently, and bit a horse which subsequently died from hydrophobia.

Arrived, *Lammonia* from Hamburg.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—The Russian Charge d' Affaires has been instructed by his Government to leave here to-morrow.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 18.—Prince Gortschakoff has issued a circular to the to the Powers stating that Russia makes war only to obtain security for the Christians in Turkey and charges the Porte with forcing the conflict.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

A DISHONEST LAWYER.

GLADSTONE'S HEALTH

ALEXIS VISITS THE PRESIDENT.

STABBING CASE.

REASON FOR HALL'S FLIGHT.

Tweed's Confession.

BOSTON, April 18.—Edward S. Rand, Jr., a prominent lawyer of Boston, and an author of horticultural works, has been arrested at Dedham, Mass., by his bondsmen. His financial transactions have been most criminal, and were brought about by extravagance and expenditure for greenhouses. He is trustee for several estates.

LIVERPOOL, April 18.—Gladstone's health is causing much anxiety. Medical men advise him to go abroad.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—This morning Grand Dukes Alexis and Constantine with the Russian Ministers and others drove to the Executive Mansion, and were received at the door by Evarts, who escorted them to the blue room, where the President and members of the Cabinet were assembled in full dress. The ceremonies were conducted by Evarts, Alexis being first presented. It was merely a visit of respect.

NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—Geo. Bryant, a colored preacher, while about to leave with a delegation of negroes to visit the President, had an altercation with a white man in a street car yesterday and fatally stabbed the latter. Bryant was arrested.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The *Graphic* suggests that Hall went to England to retain possession of the stolen ring vouchers, and thus force a compromise with the city.

The excitement over the alleged confession of Tweed is gradually increasing. Rumors afloat implicate several citizens in alleged fraudulent transactions. The opinion is going that the statements already published are mainly true.

THE "BIG PUSH" CASE POSPONED UNTIL NEXT ASSIZES.

COBOURG, April 17.—The Court House today at the opening of the Court was crowded to excess by persons anxious to hear the celebrated "Big Push" trial set down for hearing to-day, but they were doomed to disappointment, for when everything was ready for trial Mr, J. D. Armour, on behalf of the defendant, put in an affidavit setting forth that the absence of the Hon, the Finance Minster, who had been personally subpoenaed and who had refused to come as a witness, because the public business would not allow of his leaving Ottawa at present. The affidavit also set forth that Mr, Cartwright was a material witness in the case, and concluded by asking a postponement of it until next court. After the counsel for Mr. Simpson, the Hon, M. C. Cameron, had argued the case and Mr. Armour had replied, the case was postponed until next Assizes. Counsel for the prosecution, M. C. Cameron, Q. C., Mr. Bethune, Q. C.; for the defence, J. D. Armour, Q. C., Dalton McCarthy, Q. C., S. Smith, Q. C.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—Mr. John Macdonald, of Centre Toronto, denies that in defending Sir John Macdonald against Mr. Charlton's Secret Service report he was acting in consort with the Opposition. What he did was done from his own view of his duty in the case.

—The motion to refer Mr. Currier's case to the Election Committee for examination where he could defend himself, is called by the Tories a "cruel oppression" of him by the Government. The motion to deprive Messrs. Anglin and Norris of their seats without allowing them any opportunity of defending themselves is upheld by those same Tories as just and fair.

—There is a pathetic story told yesterday of how, when Mr. John Macdonald, of Toronto, was about to make his speech on the Secret Service matter, a book he desired for reference was secretly carried off. It was added that its taking away was the result of a dark Ministerial conspiracy entered into for that purpose. It now appears that the book was all the time at Mr. Macdonald's elbow.

—It is rumored that the Hon. Jos. Cauchon, at the close of the session, will be named as Commissioner for the settlement of the Alaska boundary. In this event the names of Messrs. A. Woods or Dr. Rinfret are mentioned as the probable candidates for Quebec Centre, in the Liberal interest, and Sir. Narcisse Belleau or Councillor Brosseau in the Conservative interest ; and in case of Dr. Rinfret being a candidate, Mr. F. Langlier will come forward for the Local House on the Liberal side.

This and That.

—The propeller Argyle has left the Welland canal for the upper lakes.

—The cut of logs this season in Michigan foots up 1,998,000,000 feet. The grand total for the whole northwest 3,212,000,000 feet.

—The port of Belle River is to be made a port of entry, and will be the only one on Canadian shore between Windsor and Sarnia.

—The yachting season, which is now opening, will, it is safe to say, be the most interesting which has ever been known in the yatching annals of Canada.

—The contract for the erection of the new Central Exhibition building at Lindsay was let on Saturday at $2,258. The buildings are to be completed early in August.

—The Direct Cable Company announce that after May 1st the press rates for news messages will be 25c. gold, with half rates for messages to be sent when the cables are not otherwise occupied.

—A second letter from the Prince of Wales has been received at Ottawa. He enquires how much space Canada will require at the Paris Exhibition, and encloses a copy of the rules and regulations.

—The contract for building the Brock Memorial Church, Queenston, is not yet taken ; the Building Committee have seen fit to reject some bids. The quarrying business has been somewhat brisk for some time.

For our stock, we know of no Liniment that equals GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONNIA. It is what horsemen have long wanted. Something reliable. It never disappoints. Sore throat and lameness particularly. PORTER & DOUGLASS, North Howard Street, Baltimore, Md.

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LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

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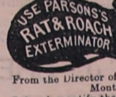

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to other unauthorised purposes, though subsequently made good to the fund.

(10.) The outgoing Ministers did not inform their successors of the balance to the credit of the Sub-Committee of Council or deal with them in respect thereof.

(11.) Over two years after his resignation, when another person was filling the office of Minister of Justice, and after Sir John A. Macdonald had ceased to have any legal or constitutional control over the fund, for the disbursement of which his successors were responsible, he drew therefrom the sum of $6,600 before mentioned.

THE VERDICT.

The Committee are of opinion as follows:

(1.) That the course pursued, and hereinbefore specified with regard to the Secret Service moneys, was highly irregular and a breach of the duty of those concerned therein.

(2.) That steps should be taken for the recovery into the public chest of the said sum of $6,600.

(3.) That no accounts having been kept, and the cheques or papers having been lost or destroyed, a satisfactory audit of the Secret Service expenditures has been rendered impossible.

(4.) That it was the duty of the Auditor-General to have informed the new Ministers of the fact that there was a balance at the credit of the sub-Committee of Council, and to have obtained the authority of the Ministers before giving Mr. Drummond the directors about the disposal of the money contained in his letter of November 4th, 1875.

(5.) That in case Secret Service monies should at any time hereafter be voted by Parliament it would be proper to provide further statutory safeguards against abuses in the application thereof.

INCIDENTS OF THE ST. LOUIS CATASTROPHE.

AGONIZING SCENES.

At three o'clock the scene was horrible and thrilling in the extreme. The hotel was wrapped in flames, and though most of those who had made themselves visible had been saved by means of ropes and ladders, yet here and there an agonized face leaned from a firelit window to give a last appeal for help. Men and women rushed about wild with excitement, calling frantically for missing friends and kinsmen, and the firemen stood appalled and unnerved before the terrific holocaust in progress. The heavens were aglow with rolling waves of fire, darkened here and there by blank columns of smoke. Myriad sparks rose up into a glittering canopy, and particles of burning debris were hurled by the hot air upon adjacent buildings and pavements. Inside only a guess could be made of what was going on. Escape by means of doorways was no longer possible, the upper floors being in absolute possession of the flames and the lower halls and stairways being enveloped in a black smoke that would have made suffocation instant. Not one of the 5,000 spectators dared go into that seething mass of smoke and gas.

MR. HAYDEN'S HORRIBLE DEATH.

Mr. Sidmore Hayden, superintendent of the American Express, met a horrible death. He occupied a room on the fifth floor, immediately over the second balcony on Walnut street. Being awakened from a sound sleep by the cry of fire, he rushed to the window and shouted for assistance. A ladder was soon brought out and stood up with the foot resting on the balcony and the top reaching to the window of his room. He got out on the ladder, but had scarcely obtained a footing on the top rung, when the ladder slipped and he was precipitated head first to the ground. His head was split open and death was instantaneous.

ACTS OF HEROISM.

Among the many acts of heroism at the great fire, none was more noticeable than that of Clifford W. Saunders, a reporter of the "Globe-Democrat," who, at great peril, ascended a ladder to the fifth story and threw a rope to those in the window above, thus enabling them to descend to the ladder and escape. In this way Saunders was the means of saving the lives of seven or eight servant girls, who otherwise would have perished, as the wall fell in almost immediately after their rescue.

A most pathetic scene was witnessed by the spectators on the fourth street side. Just as the danger appeared most imminent, in the fifth story window, upon a background of lurid flame, might be seen the profiles of a man and woman, shaking hands and taking a last farewell of each other. They had stood at the window and appealed for aid until hope gave out, and—just when they felt the flames apparently stretching toward them with rapid strides—they fell into each other's arms and were evidently prepared for the worst.

SCHOOLMISTRESSES.

A very sad story of the troubles of a youthful schoolmistress was told at an inquest held at Leamington last week on the body of a young woman, 21 years of age, whose body was found in the river Leam on Saturday. The deceased, who bore a very good character, left the training college last Christmas, and being number three for all England as Queen's scholar. In January she took the post of mistress of some schools which had been without a regularly appointed mistress for three months, and which had four mistresses in about two years. Here she found that she was unequal to the task of managing the children of these schools, who previously unruly, because so uncontrollable that she was obliged to resign her duties on Friday week. She was, according to the evidence of the landlady of the lodgings she occupied, frightfully exhausted by her school work, and seemed greatly depressed. She was confined to her bed for some days, but on Friday she left the house in a state of excitement and was never seen alive again. Her body was found early the next morning in the river, near a mill. The jury returned a verdict of found drowned.

N. Y. TRIBUNE.

The drudgery of the school-room may drive the schoolmistresses of England and Wisconsin into insanity and suicide, but the Canadian teachers thrive and grow fat on it. One of the big school-boys of the Dominion asked his teacher one night if he could escort her home from singing-school, but she politely declined the offer. He neglected his studies, ran away from school, and put pins into his schoolmates. She finally lost patience and gave him a flogging. The boy told his father that the fair one whom he had courted had turned and whipped him. The indignant parent sued the teacher and obtained a judgement for $3.50, which she paid. The next morning she remarked to her scholars: "I have whipped a body soundly, which pleasure cost only three dollars and a half. Now, if any other of my scholars incline to imitate him, they will have the kindness to step forward, receive the money and the flogging, and then we will go on with our studies. I am here to instruct you, not to be courted." Nervousness will never kill off so plucky a schoolmistress.

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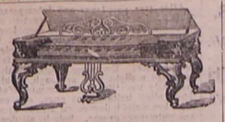

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PROHIBITION.

HON. MR. MACKENZIE'S VIEWS AS GIVEN IN THE HOUSE.

The following report of the Premier's speech in the House of Commons last night on the subject of Prohibition will be read with interest:

Mr. Mackenzie said he desired to say a few words on this question. The hon. gentleman who had brought in the resolution, he believed, had moved it prematurely, and he quite approved of this resolution of his hon. friend, the member for Middlesex. The seconder of the resolution had alluded to a report of a conversation which he (Mr. Mackenzie) had with Mr. Knowlton regarding the course the Government would pursue. He had only to say that Mr. Knowlton had denied that statement over his own hand, and had given a correct statement of what took place between them. He (Mr. Mackenzie) had been in favor of a prohibitory liquor law for thirty years. (Cheers.) It was nearly thirty years since he gave utterance to those views on the public platform, when few men either in public or private life gave utterance to similar views on this question. He always held, however, that it was useless to give legislation on this or any other question until the public mind was ready for it. He quite admitted that public men of standing and ability might lead the public mind to a considerable extent. To legislate in advance of public opinion was merely to produce anarchy instead of maintaining law and order. (Cheers.) He did not believe that public opinion was ripe for a prohibitory liquor law even if the power were located, even with the great advance made towards it, and he was aware that in many counties it had been carried into practical effect, although in some large counties, notably his own, by narrow majorities. He quite admitted that ordinary political life, ordinary political affairs, and ordinary political questions were quite secondary to a question of such great importance as would be produced by a reform in the drinking habits of the country. (Cheers.) But abundant evidence was furnished in the state of the Inland Revenue returns in the figures presented every year that, while there had been more indulgence on the part of the public generally, to the views of temperance men there was nothing to indicate a feeling in favor of a somewhat stringent measure in this direction. It was quite evident from these reforms that the drinking habits of the people had not to any extent been affected, as to the quantity used by the agitation prevailing. There was as much ardent spirits consumed this moment as ten years ago. It was quite true that there had been a diminution in the amount last year. Whether this resulted from an improved public opinion, from the greater exertions and advancement of temperance views with the people generally, or produced to some or the entire extent by the inability to purchase as compared with former years, he would not venture to say. He could only say in such matters that it was not desirable to have it made a political foot-ball. He did not believe that any of his friends, certainly not himself, were seeking to make a political foot-ball out of the question for the benefit of their own party. (Hear, hear.) He was bound to take a firm and reasonable view of the difficulties in the way and believed at this moment that if this Legislature had the power, and in the exercise of that power should enact a prohibitory liquor law it would be impossible to carry it practically into effect. He believed they would run greater danger of greatly increasing the opportunities for the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor. Any backward step in this movement would be a fatal calamity to the prosperity of the temperance cause and of the country generally. Reference has been made by the hon. member for Centre Toronto to the revenue difficulty and how that was to be met. No doubt, as had been stated, if by passing a prohibitory liquor law you could compel people to avoid spending their money in the consumption of ardent spirits and spend more for the necessaries and luxuries of life, it must necessarily result in increasing the revenue from Customs, and otherwise promoting the prosperity of the people by making them pay taxes from some other source. At the same time it must be remembered that they derived one-third of the revenue from excise, and they would probably have to propose some sort of direct taxation, for some years at least, in order to make up the deficit caused by such a law as this. It might be stated, and with a good deal of reason, that they should not let revenue considerations interfere with what proves a great moral reformation in the country. He was bound to admit that would have due weight, and at some session not far off, when coming to deal with the subject at close quarters, they would have to decide what course should be recommended by Parliament to pursue. In the meantime it was quite clear that the motion indicated by the hon. gentleman for Lisgar was premature, and could serve no purpose. It might embarrass the Government a little if the House would declare it to be the duty of the Government to do what they believed it was not their duty to do, but he did not believe that the House was of opinion that the Government should at the present moment do what the hon. gentleman indicated. After the arguments advanced by hon. gentlemen on both sides of the House he believed there would be no difficulty in arriving at the conclusion that the amendment made by his hon. friend the member for Middlesex was the one which should have their confidence and support. (Cheers).

THE ADVERTISING AGENT.

HE MAKES AN UNSATISFACTORY VISIT.

(From the Burlington Hawkeye.)

We thought, from the way he came into the office and slammed his cane down on the table and took the best chair and spat on the stove and said: "Well, Cully, how does the old thing work?" that he was a circus agent; but his card showed him to be a modest, unpretending advertising agent of a Wisconsin paper. He had just come from Chicago, he said.

We said, "Ah!"—not because there was any particular original brilliancy in the remark, but because that is what we generally say, with a rising accent on the final syllable, when a man tells us he has been to Chicago.

"Yes," he said; he had been to Chicago, had we a man up there?

No, we hadn't.

"Well," he said, "don't send one there. Just a waste of time. I've been there nearly three weeks, and I just club myself when I think what a fool I was to throw away so much time that I might have put in somewhere else to advantage."

(Continued on Fourth Page.)

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 19.

Mr. Young, M. P., flatly contradicts the rumor that he is to be made Auditor-General after the close of the present session. He would not accept the office were it offered him.

The address of Judge Mackenzie to the Grand Jury, at the opening of the Spring Assizes at Kingston yesterday, is one of the best efforts of the kind we have ever been permitted to read. It should receive wide circulation.

Messrs. Currier and Norris are immensely popular at the Capital. Yesterday morning the former entered the Commons, and seeking out the latter, hook him warmly by the hand. As they left the Chamber, rounds of cheers greeted them from all sides. Both gentlemen will undoubtedly be returned. It is understood that arrangements will be made whereby no opposition will be offered to either.

Mr. Farrow's amendment on Tuesday afforded the Premier an opportunity to refute some of the slanders so industriously circulated by the Opposition, relative to the letting of contracts by the Government. He indignantly repelled the insinuation that either favoritism or bribery had been practiced, and defended the conduct of the present Administration in this respect. A carefully-prepared table, of which the following is only a portion, giving a complete history of every contract issued by the Department of Pablic Works since 1870, was produced. The information thus furnished is conclusive evidence that charges preferred are without foundatian in fact, and wholly unwarranted:

Years.	Number of Contracts.	Lowest Tenders accepted	Per centage on No. of Contracts.	Per centage on value of Contracts.
1870	52	25	48	16
1871	75	46	61	37
1872	77	38	49	32
1873	76	43	57	22
1874	98	67	65	43
1875	73	58	79	78
1876	30	23	77	92

SIR JOHN DISQUALIFIED.

These are times when nothing indefinite or ambiguous is allowed to cloud our conception of the interpretation of the law, "in such cases made and provided." The independence of Parliament, especially, is to be protected with more than Puritan zeal. Every semblance of subsidization or disqualification must be removed and the Canadian House of Commons be made like Cæsar's wife—above suspicion. The Opposition, guided by "Canada's foremost statesman," have inaugurated the puryfying process, and have pledged unrelenting devotion to the work in hand. They have proclaimed their own immaculateness and challenged comparison. The Hamilton *Times* accepts the challenge and says:—

"So be it. A member of Parliament, then, who appears in the Public Accounts as having received money from the Government of the day is a subsidized man—or a "hireling" as a local contemporary puts it—and has, by receiving such money, violated the Independence of Parliament Act. Well, on turning to page 92 of the Public Accounts for 1875-6, we find the following item among the names of those to whom the Government paid money:

Macdonald and Patton—Professional services *in re* the goods of Samuel Snell	$4 00

On reference to the Ontario Law List we find that the firm of "Macdonald and Patton" is composed of "Rt. Hon. Sir J. A. Macdonald, K. C. B., Q. C., and the Hon. J. Patton, Q.C." On the principle laid down by the "trusted chief" of the Tories, it is thus apparent on the face of the official records before the House that Sir J. A. Macdonald has received public money from the Government of the day for "professional services;" that he is therefore subsidized by the Government; that he has also, as the recipient of such money, violated the Independence of Parliament Act, and thereby vacated his seat in the House, and become subject to the penalty of $2,000 a day. It is true the sum paid him and his partner is small, but then, as Mr. Mackenzie Bowell laid it down in his speech on the Anglin case, it is not the amount of money received by an M. P. that is of consequence, but the fact that he has received any at all. If Sir John chooses to become a subsidized man for the sake of a moiety of the sum of five dollars—say $2.75 as his share—that is his own look out. He can sell his "professional services" at as low a rate as he pleases, but even cheapness in such a matter does not do away with the fact that—according to his own showing—he has violated the act in question, and is subject to its penalties. All that can he said in his favor is that if it be "nasty" for an M. P. to be subsidized, then for a Right Hon. member and a K. C. B. to be subsidized for a share in five dollars, only makes his subsidization both "cheap and nasty.""

But this is not all. On the same page of the Public Accounts we find:—

James Patton, Q. C., Counsel's fees in *re* Andes Insurance Co.	$125 00

Mr. James Patton, Q. C., mentioned here, is a partner in the same firm of Macdonald and Patton. If Sir John shares in the fees of the firm, which is altogether probable, has not he again indirectly violated the Independence of Parliament Act? The *Times* continues:

"So that here we have Sir John shown to be "subsidized" and "a hireling"—first, directly, by the Government payment to his firm, and next, indirectly, by the Government payment to his partner. All of which shows that that truly good and great man, Sir John, has placed himself in a very bad position, for—if he believes his own words uttered in his Anglin speeches—it is now his painful but imperative duty to move that a new writ do issue for Kingston to elect a member of Parliament in place of John Alexander Macdonald, who since his election has entered into a contract for the public service and received payment therefor. Take those instances in connection with his receipt from the Government of money for the Kingston land he contracted to sell to it, and his connection with the *Mail* newspaper, and it will be seen that the "trusted chief" of the Tories is in a very much mixed up condition."

THE SPEAKER.

While insisting upon a fair trial for Mr. Anglin we have never palliated his offence, nor have we justified the retention of a seat that was clearly forfeited when he entered into a contract with the Government. The resignation of Messrs. Currier and Norris for liabilities of which they assert they knew nothing, should have been imitated by Mr. Anglin. He has greater reason to apprehend an unfavorable verdict from the Committee, and his constituency is undoubtedly a safe one. We have information in advance that it will be impossible for him to expect a clear character from the report. Mr. Anglin has many excellent qualities of mind and heart that make him a valuable member of the House in whatever capacity he serves, and we would much regret seeing him disgraced. As Speaker he has given undivided satisfaction, his rulings always appealing to the best judgment of those directly concerned. We would have been pleased to announce the resignation of his seat.

THE DISQUALIFIED.

The situation at Ottawa is becoming exceedingly interesting. An attack has been made all along the line, and the defence is equally vigorous. It appears, however, that the agressive party is beginning to fall back and offer a truce. The Government and its supporters have been most shamefully assailed by the Opposition, for no other reason than a retaliation for the Secret Service and Northern Railway *exposes*. But those who live in glass houses have made the usual mistake of throwing stones at their neighbors. The Independence of Parliament Act has not been violated by Reformers only. This fact has been found out, and now overtures for a cessation of hostilities are made by the very men who a few days ago were most determined in their efforts to perseeute opponents. The members whose seats are said to be in jeopardy are—Sir John A. Macdonald, Messrs. Burpee, Appleby, Mitchell, Dewdney, Roscoe, Cunningham, Bannantyne, Schultz, Cockburn, Domville, Jones (Halifax), and Bowell, and it is proposed to move against them. Messrs. Burpee and Cockburn declare they are prepared for the strictest investigation. A writ was served on Mr. Burpee last Tuesday, and Mr. Domville received similar attentions yesterday. The ground on which Mr. Jones will be attacked will be, that he was a member of the firm owning the Halifax *Citizen* before it was incorporated. Mr. Domville, the high-toned Mr. Domville, says: "They cannot unseat me, and they can go to blazes for all I care." But this is only a little bit of whistling to keep up courage. Mr. Domville is not out of the woods yet. The Tories are free in their regrets that they did not let the sleeping dog lie. But, *jacta est alea*.

Editorial Notes.

Hon. Adam Crooks is again ill.

Potatoes are in great demand and dear, owing to large quantities being shipped to the United States.

The temperance party in Toronto have $6,000 subscribed towards starting an evening journal in their interests.

Henry Jones, a sailor, was drowned off the scow "Industry," in Toronto harbor, yesterday.

Jack Gray, a brakesman, was accidently killed yesterday morning by falling between two cars at Port Edward.

Lt.-Gov. Macdonald has gone to Ottawa to give evidence before the Privileges and Election Committee in the Anglin matter.

The dry goods sales in Toronto are meeting with unexpected success. A large number of retail dealers from all parts of the Province are in attendance.

A meeting of the Women's Christian Association is being held in Toronto to-day, at which thanksgivings are to be offered for the adoption of the Dunkin Act in York.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company has contracted for 180,000 tons of bituminous coal, of which Nova Scotia mines furnish only 24,000 tons. The figure is 30 cts. per ton lower than last year.

A prominent wholesale dry goods merchant, of Toronto, has given notice to his clerks that in future they will be expected to attend prayer meeting, to be held in the warehouse, before leaving for their homes in the evening.

Thos. Mooney, an employee in the St. Catharines stove works, went to bed on Monday evening at his boarding place on Queen Street, seemingly in the best of health, but next morning was found dead in his bed. The cause not known.

STARTLING REVELATIONS.

MORE ABOUT SIR JOHN.

The *Globe's* Ottawa correspondent says:—"In Apirl 1872 a return moved for by Mr. Snider, M. P. for North Grey, and seconded by Mr. Metcalfe, M. P. for East York, was ordered by the House of Commons of all sums received as costs or fees by the Minister of Justice or any officer of his Department in connection with claims on the occupiers of Ordnance lands. The return was never brought down, and the reason for withholding it was only too apparent. The present Minister of Justice has, however supplied the omission of his predecessor, and the revelation is a most unsavory one. It is a well understood rule that no lawyer can charge costs unless the proceedings are initiated. Everybody who has ever received a lawyer's letter demanding payments of money knows this. Nevertheless, although in no single instance were any proceedings taken every one of these people, many of them very poor, was made, in answer to a circular from the Department of Justice signed by the Deputy Minister to pay $2 50, which went into the Minister's pocket, the total amount thus improperly exacted from debtors to the Crown amounting in the aggregate to $515 in the five years from 1868 to 1872. The proceeding involved a double impropriety. First, the one already mentioned, of receiving costs to which, as a lawyer, Sir John had no claim, and, secondly, the reception by a Minister of *fees* from departmental business. The work was done by the clerks of the Department. Sir John had no trouble in the matter, and his official salary was paid him to cover the whole of his official duties. Does anybody wonder after this why the return was not sent down?'

ASSAULTS OF PRIVATE CHARACTER.

"Well may the wives of our prominent men be anxious, for never before has this Dominion known a session where private character has been so publicly and so pitilessly assailed; and those whose upright lives have won for them fair reputations so dear to a wife, have been openly accused of every base crime known to men."

The above is from on article in one of our Maritime Province contemporaries entitled "The Speaker's Gallery." The portion of the article from which we make the extract is devoted to a few gossiping remarks regarding the lady *habitues* of the House, the wives of members. The paper from which we quote is one which has delt pretty extensively both with allegation and insinuation, and, moreover, has been one upon which the Opposition press have relied to a considerable extent for the formulation of some of the matters upon which the party desired to trade. Indeed, it must be generally conceded that that party have principally replied upon Scandal

"Whose edge is sharper than the sword,
Whose teeth outvenom all the worms of Nile."

Montreal Herald.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Tuesday April 17th.

After routine Mr. Cartwright moved the House into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Farrow moved a lengthy amendment censuring the Government for their alleged conduct in regard to the letting of the Goderich Harbor works.

Mr. Mackenzie availed himself of the opportunity which offered to give a few statistics from the record of the Public Works Department, showing that during the years 1870, 1871. 1872 the average per centage in number of the lowest tenders accepted was 52, of amount, 28; while the average per centage during the last four years had been in number 70, and in amount 60. There were necessarily occasions when the lowest tender could not be accepted, but in this or in any other contract political reasons had not been allowed to interfere in the slightest degree with the action of the Government. Referring to the case alluded to in the resolution, he read a letter from Mr. Page, the Chief Engineer, to whom such matters were at that time very largely entrusted, showing that there were good and substantial reasons for setting aside the lowest tender. One of the sureties was believed to be a partner of the tenderer, and was objectionable on other grounds. The other was a farmer, who could not be supposed to know anything of the nature of the work and the risk incurred, while the tenderer himself was unknown as a contractor, and his tender was so low as to justify the expectation that loss and trouble would ensue from awarding him the contract. Personally he (Mr. Mackenzie) knew nothing of the gentleman at the time.

Sir John Macdonald repeated some of the statements made by the member for North Huron, and contended that political considerations had influenced the Government.

Mr. Blake briefly but effectively replied to some insinuations made by the member for North Huron that he (Mr. Blake) had influenced the Premier to award the contract to the person who received it.

Mr. Landerkin corrected some mis-statements made by the mover of the resolution, and as one familiar with the circumstances averred that the Government would have been unfaithful to the public interest had they awarded the contract for the Goderich Harbor to the lowest tenderer.

After remarks from Mr. Dymond and others a division was taken, and the amendment was lost:—Yeas, 62; nays, 103.

The House went into Committee, but it being six o'clock the Committee immediately rose, and the House took recess.

After recess the House went into Commitee of Supply and passed—generally with little debate—a number of items under the Departments of Public Works and Marine and Fisheries.

AN ADMISSION.

We beg to congratulate the Toronto *Mail* on its partial admission of the fact that a Creator exists. In its issue of yesterday it said: "The Creator, we are told, sends rain upon the just and the unjust, and the sunshine that warms the soil and starts vegetation," &c. It may be added, however, that this tardy acknowledgment comes from the weather writer of the *Mail*—not the writer of its political articles. The latter gentleman for nearly four years has evidently labored under the impression that it is the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie who controls the sunshine and the rain; that consequently any deficiency in the crops is chargeable to him, and that unless he manages the weather better he should be ejected from office and be replaced by Sir John Macdonald.—*Hamilton Times*.

—Father Quinn, Catholic Priest, Richmond P. Q., on Sunday last delivered a temperance address to his congregation, and urged them to vote for the Dunkin act at the polls next month.

TRADE NOTES.

170,000 hop poles have been shipped from Beaverton during March, per Midland Railway.

A milk company has been formed at Milton, Ont., which expects to ship largely to the cities.

Joseph Gouture of St. Charles, Richelieu, is organizing a joint stock woolen factory; capital $100,000.

A farm of 330 acres with outbuildings in the parish of Kildonan, Manitoba, sold for $5,000 recently.

Winnipeg owners of land in Rockwood division offer a bonus, provided settlers there will subscribe a certain sum to have a $6,000 grist mill in the settlement.

Windsor rejoices over the probable erection next year at that place by Government, of buildings for customs, inland revenue, post office, and weights and measures purposes.

The city solicitor of Montreal has advised the Council that if it spends more than the municipal income of the year, the members are personally responsible for the overplus.

The Listowell Town Council have decided to allow $5,000 bonus to the Stratford and Huron R. R. on condition that the road be built to Listowell before any portion of the bonus is touched.

The Stratford market clerk reports that while in March 1876 there were 1843 loads of produce delivered on that market, this year there were but 454, less than one fourth of the quantity.

The harbor of Charlottetown, P. E. I., is stated to be clear of ice and the ferries running. The regular steamers are expected to run to Pictou on the 15th. The extensive steam mill and shingle factory of Messrs. Wiggins, of Alberton, was burned last Saturday; no insurance, and loss $12,000.

A meeting of the creditors of Mr. M. W. Baker, general merchant, of Morrisburg, Ont., was held in Montreal on the 5th inst, and an offer of composition at seventy-five cents on the dollar made. His statement showed assets of $14,200, and liabilities $11,988, divided among thirty-two creditors. The offer was not definitely settled until his assets were more closely scrutinized.

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THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

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And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of

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Including everything that can be found in

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April 12, 1877.

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Belleville, April 18 1877.

TENDERS FOR COAL.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned at his office, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, and marked "Offers for Fuel," will be received until noon

ON THE 5TH MAY,

FOR HARD and SOFT

COAL!

Required for the following Public Institutions, namely:

Asylum for the Insane, Toronto.

About 800 Tons of Hard Coal, Lehigh, Scranton or Pittston, and 350 Tons of Soft Coal, (of which 100 Tons is to be delivered at Pumping House on the Bay.)

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About 1,000 Tons of Soft Coal, and 100 Tons of Hard Coal.

Asylum for the Insane, Hamilton.

About 500 Tons of Soft Coal, (130 Tons of which to be delivered at Pumping House in the City), and 80 Tons of Hard Coal.

Asylum for the Insane, Kingston.

About 1,400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 30 Tons Hard Coal.

Central Prison, Toronto.

About 650 Tons of Soft Coal, and 40 Tons of Hard Coal.

Institution for the Blind, Brantford.

About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 50 Tons of Hard Coal.

Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville.

About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 35 Tons of Hard Coal.

The Coal to be delivered at the respective Institutions in a manner satisfactory to the undersigned and the authorities of such Institutions, by the 1st August next.

Specifications and forms of Tender to be had on application to the undersigned, or to the Bursars of the Institutions named.

Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of the Contract, or for each of the Contracts, as Tenders will be received for the whole supply, or for each Institution separately.

The Lowest Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. W. LANGMUIR,

Inspector of Asylums, Prisons, &c., for the Province of Ontario

Toronto, April 17th, 1877. 3tawtd

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FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season.

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, ... 6.50 a m
No. Express,.. .. .. 6:10 p m
Mixed .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,.. .. .. 12.22 a m
Mixed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Etages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 19.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

POLICE COURT.—There was no business before the court to-day.

THE CELLS.—There was only one tramp registered at the police station night.

EGG SHIPMENTS.—Within the last few days 3,778 dozen of eggs have been shipped from this station to Ogdensburg.

A SAVING.—The rain last night saved the street sprinkler its customary trips through our dusty thoroughfares to-day.

STREET LAMPS.—The lighting of the street lamps of Napanee is so unsatisfactory that it is now proposed to substitute red headed girls in lieu of them.

HORSE THIEVING.—Horse thieves have been carrying on their "crooked" business in the vicinity of Port Hope. On Tuesday night a pair of valuable bay horses were taken.

DUCK SHOOTING.—A hunting party visited Big Bay yesterday, but only succeeded in capturing seven ducks. The report that they bought them is untrue.

GROWING LONGER.—The days are now over an hour longer than the nights and will continue to grow three minutes longer each day for nearly two months.

SUNDAY FUNERALS.—The clergymen of Port Hope have decided not to attend any funerals on Sunday except in cases of very pressing necessity.

DUNKIN.—The crusade against liquor sellers in Picton still continues. Charles McDonald was recently fined $20 and costs for violating the law in this respect.

SENTENCED.—Edward Cronk, who stole a horse from a Brighton livery man, has been sentenced to six months in the Central Prison.

PARALYSIS.—Mrs. Hall of Seymour is suffering from a severe attack of paralysis from the effects of which she is not expected to recover.

THE JAIL.—There are at present confined in the County Jail 21 prisoners; 13 males and 8 females. Two of the latter are insane.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is becoming more popular every day since its reductions from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

WARNING.—A number of counterfeit five dollar bills on the Bank of British North America are said to be in circulation and it therefore behoves merchants and others to exercise caution.

A COLLISION.—A collison took place at the corner of Front and Bridge Streets last evening between two rigs one of which was moving eastward and the other northward. No damage resulted.

A COSTLY ASSAULT.—Col. Smart for assaulting the Editor of the Port Hope *Guide* was tried at Cobourg at the recent Assizes and fined $50 or three months in jail. It isn't a paying business to molest newspaper men.

For familes visiting Philadelphia, no more cozy, home like quarters, combined excellent service, unexceptional cuisine, and moderate prices can be found than at the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street.

FINE FISH.—The Messrs. Leavens had two fine salt water salmon on exhibition at their store this morning. They weighed 27 lbs., and were as fine specimens of the finny tribe as one could wish to see. They were captured in Lake Ontario.

LOOKING WELL.—Fall grain in the vicinity of Campbellford is looking well, and though the breadth sown is not large, bright prospects of a profitable harvest are entertained Fine weather and an abundance of rain will ensure an abundant yield for the harvest of 1877.

FARMING.—Spring work has been prosecuted in this section during the past eight or ten days without any interruption, the weather being highly favorable. Land generally is in a good working state and every one is pleased with such an early opportunity of commencing the work. Vegetation generally has been greatly assisted by last night's rain.

SMELTING IRON.—Mr. W. H. Frazer informs us that we were in error in stating that the experiment of smelting the ore at Marmora with crude petroleum was not successful. On the contrary it is now a thoroughly established fact that iron can be melted by this process and it was in order to prove this that the experiment was made. The furnace in which the trial was had, being defective, has been torn down, and a new one is now in process of construction.

BODY FOUND.—On the 11th inst. Mr. Palmatier, son of John Y. Palmatier, Esq., of Point Traverse found the body of an unknown woman on the shore of the False Ducks Island. There was no clothing on the body, the hair was entirely gone from the head, and it appeared as if it had been in the water for some time, being considerably bruised about the head. Otherwise the body was in a good state of preservation. As there was nothing by which the remains could be recognized they were brought to the end of the Point and buried.

CONVALESCENT.—We are pleased to learn that Mr. Elijah Ketcheson is recovering from the effects of his accident, and is now able to be about again. His many friends will, we are confident, be pleased to hear that he has recovered.

CENTENNIAL AWARD.—Mr. William Kelly received the diploma and bronze medal awarded him for his exhibit of lithograph stone at the Centennial. The diploma reads that the award was made to John Kelly, but this is an error which the secretary says he will correct.

FIRE IN NAPANEE.—A telegram from Napanee dated yesterday says:—About nine o'clock last night a fire was discovered burning very briskly under one of the windows of the Napanee Academy, in a pile of wood and shavings which had been placed there for the purpose of destroying the property. The building was only slightly damaged before the fire was extinguished.

MARINE NEWS.—Five vessels are in port at South Bay and have not yet commenced to fit out, as the prospects at present are not very encouraging. The steamer *Utica* is still on the ways half full of water, and a tug will be required to pull her off. She may possibly start on her regular trips on Saturday next. The *Shannon* was announced to leave Picton for this port this afternoon. The *Rochester* will begin running on Saturday next and the *Armenia* is now ready for the season's work.

WAR IN THE CAMP.—About five o'clock this morning Mr. Gilbert, the turnkey of the jail, was awakened by the noise of an altercation going on between two persons, named Sweeney and O'Donohue, who were confined in one cell. He immediately proceeded to the scene of the disturbance and found that a quarrel had taken place. Sweeney, it appears, insisted that his bed-fellow should get up and say his prayers, and O'Donohue having refused they came to blows. Sweeney having caused the trouble was taken to the dark cell and peace was restored once more.

NAPANEE ITEMS.—There were 48 cases disposed of at the Division Court on Monday.—Rev. A. Young has been appointed one of the delegates from the Kingston Presbytery to the General Assembly.—Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Parkes two of the oldest residents of the county died on Monday last.—Diptheria is prevalent in town and continues the work of carrying its victims to untimely graves.—An attempt to burn the West Ward school building was made on Tuesday evening but was unsuccessful.—Dr. Hodgins, Deputy Minister of Education will address the Teachers' Institute on the 23rd inst. and lecture the same evening.—The yachts *Pioneer* and *Lizzie* have been repaired and refitted and will be launched next Saturday; and the other crafts in the harbor are preparing for service.

KINGSTON.—A little girl residing on Ordnance Street, narrowly escaped being poisoned by drinking from a bottle containing laudanum.—Nine cars for the use of the Street Railway Company have arrived, and the laying of the track will be begun as soon as the necessary timber has been prepared.—Calvin & Breck expect that rafting will be brisk this summer, as they have already engaged fifty hands for that work.—The second anniversary of the elevation of Dr. O'Brien to the Bishopric was observed by the celebration of mass at the cathedral yesterday, Rev. Mr. Farrelly being the celebrant.—The *Rochester* has been launched; also a steam yacht (the *Cruiser*) owned by Mr. Gilmour of Ottawa.—The Royal Mail Line will begin running on the 3rd prox.—Miss Annie Flanagan, daughter of the City Clerk, was married yesterday to Mr. O'Brien, barrister, of Prescott.

GOWAN'S COMPANY.—This party performed in Brockville on Tuesday evening, and will show here on Saturday evening next in the Opera House. The "Recorder" says:—An unusually large audience was in attendance at the Town Hall last night on the occasion of the first appearance in our town of Gowan's Grand Organization, which certainly proved itself the best minstrel company which has appeared here in months. The programme was of such a length that it would be well nigh impossible for us to give prominence to the different pieces executed by the different artists, suffice it to say that each member of the company sustained his part in an admirable manner, and in nearly every instance was called again before the curtain. The music, furnished by the Orchertra, is far superior to that which generally accompanies shows of this kind, Mr. Gowan having evinced good judgment in his selection of musicians. We cheerfully recommend Gowan's Organization to the public as worthy of patronage, and should they ever again visit Brockville they are sure of a "bumper" house.

APPLETON'S JOURNAL.

We have received the May number of this leading American Magazine. It gives the second paper on the "Austrian Arctic Expedition," the interest of which greatly exceeds that of the first paper. It is, indeed, one of the most entertaining and thrilling records of artic adventure that have appeared for a long time. The article is fully illustrated. Constance Fenimore Woolson has a story of early Virginia colonial life, that is strikingly original in its incidents and method. Another short story, by Matilda Joslyn Gage, entitled "The Walking-Fern," is of American village-life; it has some good characterization and unhackneyed incidents. John Hawthorne, under the title of "The Great White Wall," describes, in his own characteristic and effective style, features of the English south coast. There is a paper by Mr. Eggleston on the peculiar religious sects in Russia, derived from Wallace's and Hepworth Dixon's recent books on that country. Mr. George M. Towle gleans some of the best points in Harriet Martineau's autobiography; Lucy Hooper explains the intricate laws of Parisian etiquette; and Mrs. Church discusses seasonably the making of country and city gardens. There are poems by Stoddard, John Moran, and Nora Perry, the one by the latter being accompanied by an admirable illustration from the pencil of Alfred Fredericks. The serial "Cherry Ripe!" deepens in dramatic interest. The editorial departments are as full as usual. Terms,—Three dollars per annum, in advance; postage prepaid by the publishers to all subscribers in the United States and Canada; or twenty-five cents per number. D. Appleton & Co., New York.

BRONZE MEDAL

Mr. William Kelly, of Belleville, was an exhibitor at the Centennial Exhibition of the Marmora Lake Stone for lithographic purposes. To-day he brought to our office a reward of merit in the form of a Bronze Medal of beautiful design, and Certificates from the executive officers of the Exhibition attesting to the importance of the stone. On one side of the Medal is an allegorical figure representing Industry crowning the successful competitors in all branches of industry, and on the transverse side the words: "Awarded by the United States Centennial Exhibition." The Certificate of Merit is a fine piece of artistic work, the border being composed of the coats of arms of all nations participating, so shaded and arranged as to form a very attractive picture. Specimens of engraving from the stone, properly attested by the officer in charge, also accompanying the list. We congratulate Mr. Kelly on his success, and hope he may realize a substantial return for the expense he has incurred in bringing the Marmora stone before the public.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

THE CRISIS IN THE EAST

MONTENEGRIN DELEGATION TO THE CZAR.

PROJECTED ATTACK ON TURKEY'S ASIATIC FRONTIER.

Mobilization of the Ronmanian Army.

Greece Preparing for the War.

BUCHAREST, April 18.—Orders have been prepared with a view to rendering the immediate mobilization of the Roumanian army possible. Seventy Krupp guns have reached Rustchuk for the Turks. The Russian Consul at Rustchuk has been ordered to prepare to depart. Two more Turkish ironclads, making eight, have arrived at the mouth of the Danube. The Montenegrin delegates from Constantinople are expected at Kichenev to have an interview with the Czar and Prince Gortschakoff.

LONDON, April 18.—A Bucharest despatch reports that the Roumanian Government is resolved to concentrate 10,000 men for the protection of the capital against a sudden attack of the Turkish irregular troops.

A Pesth despatch cites a communication published by the official papers, declaring that Austro-Hungary will only remain neutral so long as its interests in the East are not menaced.

A Paris despatch states that the Mediterranian squadron of the United States has obtained the requisite permission from the Porte to pass through the Dardanelles, and will immediately proceed to the Bosphorus.

A Constantinople special says:—It is reported that the Porte intends to proclaim a state of seige. Greece is preparing, in case of war, to incite an insurrection in the Greek Province of Turkey and in the Island of Crete.

A Berlin special represents that Persia, at Russia's bidding, threatens the Asiatic frontiers of Turkey.

A Pera despatch reports that the Russians are moving troops from Odessa to Poti, with the view of attacking Turkey on the Asiatic side.

The Vienna *Deutsche Zeitung* announces that the Cabinets of Vienna, London, and Paris have notified Roumania that the privileges she enjoys by virtue of the Treaty of Paris would be considered null and void should she actively co-operate with Russia.

The Paris correspondent of the *Times* reports that couriers bearing Russian manifestos addressed to the army, to the nation, and to Europe, will start simultaneously with the Emperor and arrive at their destinations at the same time as his Majesty reaches Kichency on Monday. On that day or the next the Czar will issue a manifesto to the army, which will be simultaneously delivered to the Powers and to the Russian *Charge d'Affaires*, who will then quit Constantinople. This is the exact programme given in a letter from St. Petersburg.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

THE COMMISSION A FAILURE.

Tweed's Confession.

CONFESSION OF A MURDERESS.

NEW ORLEANS AND WASHINGTON NEWS.

A CLERICAL SCAMP.

News from the East.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—The Commission will report to the President immediately the failure, so far, of the adjustment. The Commission and prominent leaders on both sides entertain a hope that terms honorable to all parties may yet be made.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The *Times*' Albany special says that Judge Folger will sue the *World* for libel in connection with the Tweed statement.

Tweed's counsel declares that the confession was submitted to the Attorney-General with the understanding that if he keeps it, or makes use of it by publication or otherwise, Tweed shall be released. The Attorney-General intimates that he should ask for more corroborative proof.

NORFOLK, VA., April 19.—Harry Martin, colored, has been missing from Blossom Hill, Princess Anne County, for a fortnight. Infuriated negroes yesterday hung his wife until she confessed she killed him. Her son says she compelled him to assist her. They were jailed.

NEW YORK, April 19.—A New Orleans special to the *Tribune* says:—The Commission predict there will be only one Legislature in existence in less than 48 hours.

The *Sun* says:—John Reed, the most influential man in the State with the negroes, declared last night in favor of accepting the Democratic proposition. He can break the Packard Legislature if he wishes. The end may come to-day.

The *Tribune* states that Sherman says he will effect a return to specie payments under the present law by the time appointed, if Congress does not interfere.

Senator Dorsey is confident the Bourbon leaders will attempt to force through legislation making it mandatory upon courts to decide the question of the President's title immediately.

The *Times* says Congressman Rapier (colored), of Alabama, writes approvingly of Hayes' Southern policy. He says we never had no more quiet and orderly times in Alabama.

The report that the Turkish Government has asked the recall of Eugene Schuyler, Secretary of the American Legation at Constantinople, is contradicted.

NEW YORK, April 19.—John B. Young, of Cincinnati, while looking from a third floor window on Broadway yesterday, fell and was impaled upon an iron rod projecting from the sidewalk, inflicting fatal injury.

The manager of the Eagle Theatre has sued Anna Dickinson for damages. Public sympathy is entirely with her.

An unknown tramp hanged himself in Central Park yesterday.

The trouble in Dr. Ludlow's Reformed Dutch Church caused by Ludlow's resignation, culminated last night in the resignation of the majority of the Christian Work Committees of the Church, and the congregation seems broken up.

Rev. R. G. Williams before the Reformed Dutch classes, of New Brunswick, N. J., yesterday admitted that he was married, that he had recently attempted to marry another woman, and had falsely denied that his wife was living. He expressed penitence. His pastoral relations were dissolved.

Edith Anderson, aged 19, was found unconscious on the street last night, having attempted suicide by taking laudanum. Not long ago she jumped from a ferry boat but was rescued. She accuses a Philadelphia Roman Catholic Priest of seducing her while a member of his choir.

VIENNA, April 19.—Russia is negotiating an alliance with Persia. The Shah is offering 50,000 men to join the army in Aratolia. Hostilities have commenced around Miksic. Abdul Kerim has arrived at Silistria; the troops are very enthusiastic.

LONDON, April 19.—At the Stock Exchange to-day an important recovery in the prices on continentals took place.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

RUSSIAN MILITARY ORDER.

THE CZAR'S TRIP.

PARIS, April 19.—The Military attaches of the Russian Embassy and all Russians belonging to the Imperial army, received orders yesterday to join their respective corps immediately.

LONDON, April 19.—A Berlin special to the *National Zeitung* learns that the Czar will not travel through Moscow going to Kischeneff, which occasions considerable surprise in Russia. It is stated that the Czar will make a short stay at Kischeneff, visit Moscow returning, and issue his war manifesto there.

This and That.

—In Kingston the four lb loaf has been raised to 15c.

—A suit under the Independence of Parliament Act, has been entered against Mr. Desjardins, M. P.

—Charters have been made to carry square timber from Bay City, Mich., to Kingston at $90 per 1,000.

—Capt. Norris has resigned his seat by the advice of his friends, and a new writ for Lincoln will, therefore be issued.

—It is reported that Manager Broughton will impress on the G. W. R. authorities in England the advisibility of double-tracking the Air Line.

—It is intended to make some slight repairs on the C. S. R. bridge at St. Thomas shortly, although the structure is in the most secure condition.

—Mr. John McLean, a merchant of St. Catharines, retired to his bed last evening as usual, but this morning was found speechless from a stroke of paralysis. He now lies in a very critical condition.

—President McMahon has instructed the Minister of Justice and Public Worship to express to the Bishop of Nevers his entire disapproval of the latter's letter asking intervention for the Pope, and states that the President sees with pain the clergy meddling with internal and even foreign politics.

—Between fifty and sixty thousand people took part in the Tichborne demonstration in London on Tuesday. Their leader DeMorgan, proceeded alone to the House of Commons. He wrote to the Home Secretary, who replied that he would receive the deputation Wednesday, and, if good reasons were given, he would move that DeMorgan be heard at the bar of the House. The crowd peaceably dispersed.

—A five-year old son of Mr. Adam Oliver, of Ingersoll, was missed about five o'clock last evening. After searching for some time the fire-alarm was sounded, and the firemen organized with lights. After further search the child was found dead among some logs near a planing mill. It is supposed he had been playing on the logs, and had fallen under one of them which started rolling. His head was badly bruised.

—Extensive preparations are being made for celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of Guelph's birthday, which is on Monday, the 23rd inst. The day has been proclaimed a general holiday. Invitations have been extended to Sir A. T. and Hon. Mr. Justice Galt to be present, as their father founded the town. A magnificent procession is being arranged, in which all the first year's settlers now living in the neighborhood will take part. Excursion trains are to be run on the G. W. and G. T. R. The town will be illuminated in the evening.

Attacked in the night with a dreadful toothache GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA cured me. R. P. Rowe, at C. T. REYNOLDS & Co's. paint shop, 106 and 108 Fulton Street, N. Y.

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After war, pestilence and intemperance—colds lead to the greatest destruction of human life, mainly because it is considered by many to be of no consequence, and hence systematically neglected, until a simple, curable disease, is converted into a fatal pulmonary one. Every one troubled with what is called a slight cold or cough, should immediately use "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers." They allay irritation at once, and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

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sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., write "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

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Feb 27, 1877. 1y

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DOYLE VS. MEAGHER.

(Before Judge Sherwood.)

Geo. D. Dickson for Plaintiff; Thos. Holden and L. H. Henderson for Defendant.

The election is now attacked on the … corruption.

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10	" Good Oxford Shirting	" 1.00
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The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 19.

MR. YOUNG, M. P., flatly contradicts the rumor that he is to be made Auditor-General after the close of the present session. He would not accept the office were it offered him.

THE address of Judge Mackenzie to the Grand Jury, at the opening of the Spring Assizes at Kingston yesterday, is one of the best efforts of the kind we have ever been permitted to read. It should receive wide circulation.

MESSRS. Curri[illegible] said, "and ain't going [illegible] until times pick up a little. Deadest place you ever struck in your life. Nothing doing. Just nothing. Why, I was there ten days, ten whole long days, as I'm a truthful man, and only got—let me see—I'll give you the figures." And he pulled out his note-book and ran over the leaves and down long columns of figures. "Yes, sir, I was in St. Louis ten days to an hour, and only got $4,227.50, and $1,896.75 I have to take in trade, and only $2,130 cash-in-advance ads. Don't you send a man to St. Louis if you don't wan't to pay his fare home."

"Which way was he going from Burlington?" we asked, deeply impressed

"Oh, out along the line of the B. and M." he said, "out to Omaha, and maybe out to Lincoln and up to Des Moines."

"Now, don't go there," we begged him; "don't go out that way at all. It won't pay you; we know this country and we know you won't make a cent on the trip."

"Why not?" he asked, defiantly, and in a rather incredulous tone of countenance.

"Because," we said, "*The Hawk-Eye* had a man out all through that country one day last week. It may appear incredible, but, sir, that man was gone fifteen minutes, and came back with only $72,000 cash ads., a couple of National Banks, six Nebraska farms, a Kansas cattle ranche, and the Iowa State Treasury, and the captain discharged him for not making his wages. It's as dead as——"

But he was gone, and we heard him down stairs asking the business manager if he thought it was necessary to import a thorough-bred liar to edit his paper.

SIMON'S WIFE'S MOTHER.

The following ancient bit of pleasantry will, we think, bear resuscitation and be read with pleasure. It will also be new to a great many. A countryman was in New York on an August Sunday and crossed to Brooklyn in the morning for the purpose of hearing Beecher. But, lo! the Plymouth pulpit was occupied by a stranger who delivered a tedious, common-place sermon from the text, "And behold Simon's wife's mother lay sick of a fever," Mr. Beecher was away taking his vaction.

In the afternoon the man sought to console himself for his morning disappointment by listening to E. H. Chapin. He was shown to a front seat by the sexton of E. H. Chapin's church, and in due time was horrified to see the minister of the morning appear in the pulpit. The poor victim heard for a second time the sermon from the text, "And behold Simon's wife's mother lay sick of a fever," and went out of the sacred place very much discouraged. Mr Chapin was taking his summer vacation.

In the evening the man, thinking to redeem in a measure the defeat of the day, accepted a choice sitting in the Reformed Dutch Church, for the sake of hearing the genial, eloquent and scholarly Bethune. But his heart was nearly broken when the evil spirit that had possessed him all day got up to give out a hymn; and when the text was announced, "And behold Simon's wife's mother lay sick of a fever," the party who knew all about the subject rushed wildly from the overdose and ran to his hotel. Dr. Bethune was taking his summer vacation.

The next morning the man took the first train for home, and stepping into the car, there was his ministerial friend of the day before, with his sermon under his arm. The New York bells were ringing the fire alarm, and says the minister to his lay brother—"Friend, do you know what those bells are tolling for?"

Says the countryman; looking hard at the minister, "I don't know, but I shouldn't wonder if Simon's wife's mother was dead, I heard three times yesterday that she was down with a fever."

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Belleville, April 14, 1877.

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THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,
E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD,
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himself in a very bad position, for—if he believes his own words uttered in his Anglin speeches—it is now his painful but imperative duty to move that a new writ do issue for Kingston to elect a member of Parliament in place of John Alexander Macdonald, who since his election has entered into a contract for the public service and received payment therefor. Take those instances in connection with his receipt from the Government of money for the Kingston land he contracted to sell to it, and his connection with the *Mail* newspaper, and it will be seen that the "trusted chi[illegible] the Tories is in a very much mi[illegible] condition."

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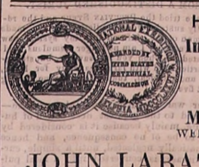
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CONTESTED MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

DOYLE VS. MEAGHER.

(Before Judge Sherwood.)

Geo. D. Dickson for Plaintiff; Thos. Holden and L. H. Henderson for Defendant.

The election is now attacked on the ground of bribery and corruption.

The following evidence was taken.

John Smith, sworn,—Live at the Grand Trunk Station; am a laborer; live on lot 15; own the land about ¼ of an acre; got no notice of assessment for 1876; have lived there 2 years next Fall; don't know of any other John Smith in the Ward; did not vote at the election when they refused my vote; I was told John Smith had voted; knew that Doyle, Meagher and Hambly were running; I went to vote for Doyle.

Cross examined,—Think the Returning Officer told me John Smith had voted; won't swear that it was, as I didn't know the men there; went away after I was told this and said nothing; bought the lot from Mr. Bull in 1875; I never said that I intended to vote for Meagher that I remember.

John Smith, sworn,—Live on Great St. James Street; have lived there nearly 12 months; remember the election; never applied to be put on the roll; don't know whether I was assessed; can't tell who called on me to vote; I told them that perhaps they were mistaken but they said not; I thought I was going to vote for a school election; did not know any of the parties; have had a notice of assessment left at my place; don't know the number of the lot on which I live.

Cross-examined,—I had a small window in Mr. Belch's store [illegible] now; I rented this a year ago last November; occupied it until May, at the rental of $8 00 per month; I moved then where I reside at present; can't say positively when I got the notice from the assessor.

[illegible] sworn,—Was present at the poll on the day of election; saw the last witness there; he apparently got a ballot and went into the room.

Henry Bleecker, sworn,—Am a Barrister and live in Belleville; voted at the last election; don't know whether my name is on the roll or not; did not own property in the ward; was not a householder or a tenant; when I voted I was informed that my name was on the roll; there was no dispute or discussion when I voted; I ask the Returning Officer if my name was on the roll and he said it was not; the parties there, the agents of the candidates, said my name should be there; I said I supposed so, and the Returning Officer said he thought I ought to have a vote; he ordered his clerk to put my name down and I voted; I object to say for whom I voted; I was solicited to vote by all the candidates; Mr. Doyle as well as the others; have never told any one for whom I voted.

Patrick Sweeney, sworn—Live in Belleville; first came here 30 years ago; came back a year ago last October: keep a grocery and a blacksmith shop; was born in Ireland. when away I lived part of the time in Tyendinaga; have been off and on in the United States; never took the oath of allegiance, but declared my intentions; never voted in the United States; voted at the election in Jan'y for Bleecker Ward; no inducements were held out to me to vote; never was told that a certain street was to be opened up if I voted in a certain way.

Charles Smith, sworn—Live in Bleecker Ward; am a householder; have been for over eight years; have lived for over a year in my present residence; formerly lived in the Grove; am a carpenter; lived near Brown's Foundry for a year; don't know whether my name was on the roll or not; voted at the last municipal election; don't know any other Charles Smith; don't know Charles Smith an engineer.

Cross examined—Have been living in Bleecker Ward for over two years, except three months; was assessed for $350 last summer; Mr. Meagher's team came after me to vote; didn't know any one except Thayer and young Hambly; had not seen Doyle for a couple of months before the election; after the election I met him on the street and he asked me if I had voted [illegible] Meagher; have talked with him about [illegible] times since; the last time he said he [illegible] a job; he treated me several four [illegible] in Truaisch's Tavern would give [illegible] there; I met him on al times; saw [illegible] to go in; Doyle twice; he treated me [illegible] to come the street and he asked me [illegible] would said it I had voted for Meagher [illegible] down to Mr. Dickson's office and he [illegible] pay me for my time; know Mr. Thayer, never told him any more than I have told now; I told Meagher and Thayer for whom I voted; know John Shorts; was talking with him about my conversation with Doyle; we were talking about the election and I told him Doyle wanted me to go to Mr. Dickson's office; didn't tell him about Doyle offering me work; did not go to Mr. Dickson's office.

John Northcott, sworn—Was Returning Officer; remember when John Smith came up to vote; I saw both John Smiths; one voted; the other came to vote, and I told him John Smith had voted; I knew the elderly gentleman calling himself John Smith; don't know a Smith living on West Railway Street; knew the John Smith who lived at Belch's; have every reason to believe that the man I refused had a right to vote; know Charles Smith who lives on Meyers Street; am well acquainted with him; he is an engine driver; since the election I know that he was away at the time; I see only one John and one Charles Smith on the list and they both voted; remember Henry Bleecker voting; his name was not on the Voters' List; it was on the revised Voters' List; the name was put on by the poll clerk at my request; had assessed the Ward for two or three years; he appears to be assessed for lot 226; Mr. Doyle spoke to me after he voted.

Cross examined—Have examined the assessment roll once since the election; know Charles Smith very well; as each man voted a mark was put opposite his name by Backus the poll clerk; I did not think that Charles Smith who voted was the engineer; in fact I thought nothing about the matter at the time; don't know the man who voted as Charles Smith; the man who voted lives near Thayer's; I suppose that I was there assessing; don't remember canvassing him for Doyle.

Michael Meagher, sworn—Live in Belleville; have been here two years; have never taken the Oath of Allegiance; have voted at municipal elections there.

John Gorman, sworn—Reside in town; am a grocer; was so in January; took no particular part in the election; don't own a team; didn't have a team on election day; am sure the team was not drawing voters to the poll; at least I never knew it; I was not interested in the election; I was most of my time at the station, being more interested in the strike; don't know of

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The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 25.

THE Senate has amended and passed the Government Life Insurance Bill, much to the surprise and indignation of many interested parties.

WE have the announcement from Ottawa that the Government propose to take steps to collect the moneys improperly paid out by the Northern Railway Company.

IN an article referring to Mr. Bowell's printing contracts with the Government, which appeared in yesterday's ONTARIO, typo made us say "nearly $7,000," when we wrote "nearly $700."

DR. TUPPER'S amendment to the Pacific Railway policy of the Government was disposed of last night, or rather early this morning. The vote stood:—Yeas, 59; nays, 104—majority for the Government, 45.

IT is now thought impossible to reach prorogation this week. The Pacific Railway debate has assumed a shape to place such a calculation out of the question. As Dr. Tupper's motion was one of want of confidence, it will be debated until disposed of.

SIR JOHN has graciously intimated in a private way that when Dr. Tupper's motion is disposed of there will be no further opposition of the kind during the session. It was intended to offer an amendment *anent* the Georgian Bay Branch Railway, but the Ottawa Valley members refused to vote for the motion, and it was dropped. [illegible]

The *Globe* now [illegible] cessation of hostilities in connection with the Independence of Parliament crusade. This counsel is given not because the organ believes a thorough investigation would result adversely to the Ministerial side of the House, but because the real object sought has been attained, and unnecessary expense should be avoided if possible. We rather incline to the belief that since an attempt has been made to cleanse the Augean stables the purification should be complete, let those suffer who may.

MR. BOWELL is very quiet at the present time. He begins to realize the fact that his famous motion against Mr. Anglin, in the preparation of which he spent so much precious time, has proved to be a boomerang, and threatens to knock himself and friends into "smithereens." He cannot exactly understand how it is that he never thought of his own transgressions when making his onslaught upon the Speaker. With a great glass house over his own head, he recklessly began to hurl huge boulders at those who were equally as well protected. The result has been very discouraging to Mr. Bowell. His missiles were hurled back, and now he writhes and groans amid a complete wreck of his erstwhile crystal mansion. The electors of North Hastings have an opportunity to contemplate their member in the character of a Rip Van Winkle.

NORTHERN RAILWAY REPORT.

The Northern Railway Committee has presented its report. As the evidence taken before the Committee has monopolized public attention equally with the other startling revelations of the session, we summarize the contents as follows:—The manner in which the Company first became indebted to the Government is recited, and the arrangements made for payment. Any surplus revenue which may have existed belonged to the Government, first on payment of interest on bonds, and afterwards to the lien. The sum of $1,000 was *improperly* paid out of the Railway funds to Sir John A. Macdonald, and said funds were applicable to the payment of Government claims. A further sum of $2,500 was paid to the Sir John Macdonald testimonial fund, which was also *improperly* taken from funds belonging of right to the Government. A subscription to the *Mail* of $2,000 was another *improper* use of money *properly* belonging to the Government; also, a payment of $5,440 to Hon. J. B. Robinson for his election expenses in Algoma. In 1872 Mr. C. J. Campbell *improperly* obtained $1,000 as a contribution to the election fund of the Conservative party generally. Mr. Cumberland, the Manager, overdrew his account to the extent of $12,593.21. The whole sum *improperly* paid to Mr. Cumberland, out of moneys *properly* applicable to the payment of Government claims, was $20,593.21. A balance of $3,000 exists against Hon. J. B. Robinson for account overdrawn, and out of funds the property of the Government. In 1873 the Company was sueing Parliament for the extinction of a claim of the Government amounting to $500,000, and at that time Mr. Morrison and Mr. Robinson, members of Parliament, drew from the Company $3,700, for which no account was given. This sum was also *improperly* taken from money applicable to the payment of Government claims. Stock to the amount of $10,000 was taken in the Couchiching Hotel—out of funds that should have been paid to the Government. And finally, the sum of $107,392.62 was advanced to the Northern Extension Railway without proper authority. No recommendations are made whatever. The above facts are recited and left to be dealt with as the House may determine. We submit that the Conservative party has a special certificate of character in the report of the Northern Railway Committee.

THE SPEAKER'S CASE.

Yesterday morning the "Anglin matter," so called, was once more before the Committee on Privileges and Elections. It was carefully and dispassionately considered. Mr. McKay, of Cape Breton, defended the Speaker in an able and well-arranged speech of some length. He argued that, taking the Bill and other precedents, there was no case against the Speaker, and held that the Canadian and Imperial Independence of Parliament Acts required that there should be express contract—not an implied one; that the proofs should be clear and not circumstantial. He thought it was impossible to say there was a contract, and that the evidence at hand required great straining in order to be regarded as proving even an implied contract. On these points he was not prepared to vote that Mr. Anglin has vacated his seat. Messrs. Mills and Guthrie argued forcibly in the same strain. Sir John took the opposite view, and moved that in the opinion of the Committee the Speaker had vacated his seat. This motion was supported by Mr. Hector Cameron. Considerable argument was heard from both sides, and the Committee adjourned to further consider the new phase affairs had taken. It is quite impossible to predict the report, but an impression seems to prevail that the result of the enquiry will be favorable to the Speaker.

Editorial Notes.

THE clipper ship Lake Erie is the first vessel from sea to arrive at Quebec.

BREADSTUFFS in Montreal are gradually but surely reaching starvation prices. Flour is selling at $11 a barrel!

JAMES WARREN, of Toronto, has been remanded for stabbing his brother during a petty quarrel.

JUDGE DEAN, of Lindsay, will, it is said, conduct the investigation into the charges made by Hon. Vice Chancellor Blake against Police Magistrate McNabb, of Toronto.

THE stocks in store in Toronto on Monday amounted to $10,891 barrels of flour and 386,511 bushels of grain, against 21,254 barrels of flour and 1,030,731 bushels of grain at the same date last year. Barley, which all the winter has been held largely in excess of any previous year, has now sunk to 6,000 bushels below the stock held at the same time last year. In spite of the contradiction of the *Globe's*, grain-buyers assert that Canada must be an importer of breadstuffs before the season is over and the harvest reaped.

The fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Guelph was celebrated on Monday on a scale of great magnificence. Hon. Justice Galt, son of the founder of Guelph, accompanied by his two sons, were guests of the corporation, besides a number of the first and second year's settlers. The main feature of the celebration was a procession, which was headed by the field battery, and followed by the Mayor and guests of the corporation in carriages, the Town Council, Board of Education, St. George's, St. Patrick's, St. Andrew's and Caledonian Societies, to the number of about 2,000. The first male child born in Guelph carried the royal standard. Several trades were represented. The St. George's Society held their annual dinner in the evening. The proceedings terminated with fireworks and a bonfire.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Monday, April 23rd.

After motions had been made for reference to the Committee on Privileges and Elections of Messrs. BURPEE and MOFFAT'S cases, for violation of the Independence of Parliament.

Mr. MACKENZIE resumed the adjourned debate on Dr. Tupper's non-confidence motion respecting the Pacific Railway. After rallying the member for Cumberland upon his ability in presenting a rehash of a great many previous motions of want of confidence, he referred to the events connected with the early history of the undertaking, the monstrous nature of the original terms, and the utter failure of Sir Hugh Allan's efforts to launch his scheme, long before the action of the Opposition in Canada had brought to light the infamous transactions between Sir Hugh Allan and the Government. In reply to one of the many extravagant statements of Dr. Tupper, viz., that he (Mr. Mackenzie) had not in his Administration given effect to the views he had expressed in 1871 regarding the time and mode of building the Pacific Railway, he showed that the action of his predecessors in office had rendered it utterly impossible for him to carry out his views in their entirety, as the national obligations incurred by the late Government had to be respected. He quoted from previous utterances of Dr. Tupper on the floor of Parliament to show that he had promised his aid in carrying out the Carnarvon terms, which he now so strongly denounced. Referring to the resolution of Parliament with regard to the increase of taxation, he said that though the Government were not legally bound by it they had very properly held that they should observe it in a moral sense, and that they had observed it. He pointed out, too, that the member for Cumberland had sought to convey the impression that the increase of taxation from any cause whatever was equivalent to an infraction of that resolution; whereas it only applied to an increase of the burdens of the people through the construction of the Pacific Railway. He then went on to expose a number of the glaring misstatements made in Dr. Tupper's oration. That hon. gentleman now professed to have very moderate ideas of the cost of the undertaking. But according to his own valuation of the lands which it was proposed to grant under the old scheme, added to the money appropriation, the expense of building the road would amount to some two hundred and eighty millions. On the same point he turned his attention for a moment to Mr. DeCosmos, and quoted from that gentleman's speeches in British Columbia to show that his estimate of the cost was next adverted to the question of steel rails, one hundred and fifty millions of dollars. He then exposed the unfairness of Dr. Tupper and other members of the Opposition, who, while they were always ready to blame the Government because they could not foresee the fluctuations of the market for years ahead, would not on the other hand, either give them credit for what was saved by their foresight or compare transactions made by Mackenzie with those of the late Administration. Among a number of illustrations of what might be done by the present Government if they chose that particular line of attack upon their opponents, he mentioned that when he came into office he found that Mr. Domville had been supplying the Intercolonial with spikes at ninety-four dollars per ton, while the present Government had not a very great while thereafter bought them for $54. He never was foolish enough to attack his opponents with such instances as these, though he might give many of them. But it was their regular style of argument with regard to steel rails and other matters. In referring to the charge that the Government had paid too high a price for the lands they required for Railway purposes at Thunder Bay, for the purpose of serving their friends, the leading Conservative organ, when it was proposed to locate the terminus of the branch at Nepigon, had insinuated that that determination was arrived at to serve personal ends, and no sooner was the location changed to Fort William than the same motive was attributed to himself and his friends. The lots at Thunder Bay had been surveyed and valued by two gentlemen, one an engineer, Mr. Hugh Wilson, who was a strong Conservative, and the other, Mr. Robert Reid, of London, who would not be accused by anyone who knew him of dishonesty of purpose. In referring to the charge made at Conservative picnics and elsewhere, that in this and other matters of administration he had sacrificed the interests of the public for those of his friends, he intimated that as he had waited in vain for the Opposition to ask for a Committee of enquiry on these matters, as he had challenged them to do, he would himself at an early stage of next session move for the appointment of such a Committee. His speech was at once an able review of the whole Pacific Railway question, and an effective exposure of the glaring misstatements contained in Dr. Tupper's oration.

VIRTUOUS INDIGNATION.

Mr. Mackenzie's speech, on Monday, though occupying but an hour and a half, contained far more matter, more facts and was better delivered and had more effect than that of Dr. Tupper. The Premier was excited, ardent, and at times passionate. When he alluded to the calumnies and the foul abuse which had been heaped upon him by the Conservatives, he carried everything before him, and was repeatedly cheered to the echo. He threw back the charges of his detractors and denounced his opponents for their unscrupulous conduct and entire want of manly or fair dealing. He threatened next session to obtain a Committee to investigate the accusations which had been brought against him, and gave the Tories to understand that they had gone as far with impunity as they would be allowed to. Mr. Mackenzie spoke with evident effect, and had the liveliest sympathies of his friends, who gave him a rousing round of cheers.

A DAMAGING SESSION FOR SIR JOHN.

It can hardly be denied that this has been a damaging session for Sir John A. Macdonald.

The ex-Premier's course in connection with the Secret Service money has been such as to call down the solemn and formal censure of Parliament.

The Northern Railway revelations have been extremely damaging to Sir John personally, as well as to his prominent followers.

And the latest revelation, respecting Sir John's extortion of legal fees to which he had neither moral nor lawful claim from poor debtors to the Crown, is perhaps the most damaging. It has about it a flavor of meanness and sharp practice not likely to command respect in Canada.

On the whole the present session has been a very damaging one for "Our Chieftain."

And the session is not yet concluded.—*Tizer.*

JOHN CHINAMAN.

We have already stated that the Chinese assault case in Toronto was dismissed by the Police Magistrate because he could not understand the evidence. This shows a great lack of perception on his part. We give below the evidence as reported by Grip, and even a child could understand it, it is so simple and yet so convincing. It breaks off rather abruptly, but enough of the plain unupholstered tale is given to let us fully comprehend the merits of the case:

"Yesday, Sam Sing jing fing wing bang gang clang whang-whang bigee knifee mexican pelican chiug chung bung pung sung rung Sing sung rabee dabbee Stabbee Ah Toe. Hong kong prong song Sam Sing ching ching hittee nose bleedee hong kong yanktsee kiang ho hang h ——"

NORTHERN RAILWAY.

THE GOVERNMENT DEMAND RESTITUTION.—A SETTLEMENT OF THE COMPANY'S DEBT PROPOSED.

Hon. Mr. Cartwright will, on Wednesday next, move the House in Committee of the Whole on following resolution:

"*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the sum of £50,000 sterling second preference bonds now held by the government of Canada, part of a certain sum of £282,000 sterling of second preference bonds issued by the Northern Railway Company of Canada, shall hold equal rank and priority with other bonds of the same character in any re-arrangement that may be authorized by an Act passed during this session.

And further, that the sum of £50,000 sterling, part of a certain sum of £100,000 sterling of third preference bonds issued by the Government of Canada, together with the interest thereon, be extinguished on the following conditions:

First, That the said Company shall within one month from the first day of May, 1877, pay to the Government the sum of $45,000 sterling in cash, with interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum.

Second, That the said Company shall, within the same period, pay to the Government of Canada the sum of $27,458 88 in satisfaction of the sum improperly applied by the Company out of the moneys payable to the Government of Canada, and also assign the mortgage now held by the said Company on the Couchiching Hotel, for moneys advanced thereon."

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The Senators are going home. By-the-way we had almost forgotten that the Senate passed a censure on the Government.

—It is the impression that the nomination of Mr. Featherstone to contest Mr. Currier's re-election in Ottawa, means the defeat of the latter at the polls.

—Sir John was banquetted by his Parliamentary followers last night, and presented with a chair. The chair is for him sit in when his seat for Kingston is declared vacant.

—The *Mail's* anxiety to bring about a dissolution of Parliament is occasioned by fear of further exposures of Sir John's violations of law and precedent in administering the Government. A general election would close inquiry and relieve him of the penalies.

—The Hamilton *Times* thus exposes a current misconception: Some of our contemporaries in quoting from the Montreal *Star* refer to it as an "independent" journal. In so doing they do a grave injustice to that newspaper by making it appear to sail under false colors. The *Star* will thank us for righting it in the eyes of the public by stating that it is no more liable to the charge of being "independent" than is the Toronto *Mail.*

AN INDEPENDENT OPINION.

The Toronto "Telegram" in giving its view of the political situation, concludes as follows: "Looking at the matter from that disinterested standpoint which, in company with those of our contemporaries who are not bound by party ties nor concerned in keeping the big end of the political telescope concealed from the eyes of their readers, we can afford as an independent journal, [illegible] the opinion that, should no dissolution of the House take place at the close of the present session and a general election ensue, the Government would be sustained, not, it is true, by as large a majority as it can at present boast, but by a majority sufficiently large to enable it to carry on the business of the country, even though a Tory picnic were held in every constituency in the interim. Should the Tory Chieftain put on his paint and feathers again, and by a re-appearance at the pastoral gatherings rouse up the enthusiasm of his followers, he may gain some advantage, but not enough to carry him back to the treasury benches."

A DOMESTICATED PERCH.

Mr. Joseph Sprouls, near Mendona, has a very larg black perch in his spring, and which he has had in there for five years. He can go to the water's edge, pick it up, rub it, feed it, and play with it, all of which it seems to enjoy as would a dog, horse or other animal. We tried it, and it was as playful with us as with Mr. Sprouls. He caught it five years ago out of the North Folk of Holston with a hook, and put it in his spring, and has kept it there safely and made a special pet of it ever since. It is about twenty inches long and four to six wide.—"Arlington (Va.) Virginian."

OPERA HOUSE
THURSDAY EV'ING, APR. 26
Grand CONCERT
Under the auspices of the
ODDFELLOWS
Of Belleville, on the occasion of the celebration of the 58th Anniversary.
Admission to all parts of the House, 25c.
Doors open at 7:15, Concert to commence at 8 o'clock.
For particulars, see Programmes.
W. H. GARRATT, Sec. Com. D. E. BURDETT, Chairman Com.
Belleville, Apr. 21, 1877. 3i

TRUNKS
SARATOGA TRUNKS
LEATHER COVERED,
Barrel Top, Iron Bottom, Cotton Lined, Well Braced and Beautifully finished.
DOMINION TRUNKS
LEATHER COVERED,
Barrel Top, Iron Brand, Well Braced—A Good and Cheap Trunk.
EMPRESS TRUNKS
LEATHER COVERED,
Barrel Top, Very Strong, and Well Arranged Inside.
MANSARD TRUNKS
ZINC COVERED,
Mansard Top, Iron Bound, Strongly Made—A New Style. Price Very Low.
ALBERT TRUNKS
FOR GENTLEMEN,
With Hat Box, Collar Box, Glove Drawer, Shirt Apartment, &c. Exceedingly Neat and Strong. Leather Covered.
TRAVELLING BAGS,
VALISES, SATCHELS,
Shawl Straps, Trunk Straps, &c
A FULL STOCK JUST RECEIVED.
HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, April 21, 1877.

TENDERS FOR TOWN HALL.
SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Clerk's Office in the Village of Tweed, up to 12 o'clock, noon, on the 10th day of May next, for the erection of a new Town Hall, in Tweed, for the Municipality of the Township of Hungerford.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. John Forin, Belleville, and at the Township Clerk's office in Tweed.
The Council will not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
WM. WRAY, Township Clerk, Hungerford.
Clerk's Office, Tweed, April 21st, 1877. d2i&w

ABRM. HODGSON & SONS,
Produce & Commission Merchants
48 BRIDGE STREET,
(Next Door to Post Office.)
BELLEVILLE
Liberal Advances made at all times on Consignments of Produce to Liverpool and London.
REFERENCE—BANK OF MONTREAL.
ABRM. HODGSON & SONS, Montreal.
ABRM. HODGSON & SONS, Brockville.
ABRM. HODGSON & SONS, New York.
HODGSON BROS, Liverpool.
Belleville, April 25th, 1877. d&wtf

NOTICE.
ALL THOSE who are entitled to receive a Tavern or Shop License for the sale of Spirituous or Fermented Liquor in West Hastings, for the year ending the 30th day of April, 1878, must take out the same on or before the First day of May next.
JAMES ROSS, Inspector.
Belleville, April 25th, 1877. 2i

PIANO FOR SALE.
VERY CHEAP, in good order, at Mr. Fanning's, Bridge Street.

CAUTION.
ALL persons are hereby warned not to purchase a Promissory Note dated 12th January, 1877, for $500, made by T. McCabe, and endorsed by John Drinnan, the same having been made and endorsed without value, and upon special conditions, which have not been complied with. The said note is now over due.
T. McCABE.
Trenton, 21st April, 1877. 3i

NOTE LOST.
A NOTE given by William French to William S. Chord, dated May 2nd, 1876, due one year from date. Payment of said note has been stopped.
WILLIAM S. CHORD.
Stirling, April 23, 1877. 3i

SMALL & BULL.
PRODUCE and General Commission Merchants, Auctioneers, Real Estate and Financial Agents and Accountants, 29 Bridge Street, Belleville, Ont. Consignments of all descriptions solicited.
Money loaned on improved Real Estate in city and country. Auction sales attended to in city and country.
Agents for Union Loan and Savings Co., Toronto; Canada West Land and Agency Co., do, Alliance Provident and Loan Society, England, General Transatlantic Steamship Co., New York, to Havre and Plymouth.
REFERENCES—R. Thomson, Esq., Manager Merchants' Bank of Canada; Hon. R. Read, Senator; Hon. Lewis Wallbridge; N. B. Falkiner, Esq., Barrister; T. S. Carman, Esq., and M. Bowell, Esq., M.P.
G. C. SMALL. JOHN BULL,
April 24, 1877. d&w3m

NOTICE TO FARMERS.
PLASTER. PLASTER!
FARMERS' WAREHOUSING CO.'S PLASTER MILL.
(Late Simpson's)
Over 500 Tons of Stone to Grind this Season
THE Mill has been thoroughly repaired and we are confident we can supply
The Best Article in the Market.
PRICE $6.00 per ton in bulk; $1.25 per Bbl.
Farmer's Elevator Dock.
W. S. YATES, Sec. K. GRAHAM, Pres.
Belleville, Jan. 18th, 1877. d1w&w3m

HOOEY & SON
BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,
Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,
With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS
We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.
☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.
HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

USE PARSON'S RAT & ROACH EXTERMINATOR
BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
MESSRS. CHAS. PARSONS & Co.—Gents: A few weeks ago I had about two or three regiments of rats in and around my house. A friend sent me two boxes of your INSECT EXTERMINATOR. I used a part of one box, according to instructions, and the rats took up marching orders, all but two or three, who will likewise march, now that we have discovered their haunts, upon the application of a little more of the Exterminator. I would therefore cheerfully recommend it to all who have rats about their premises.
Your friend, JOHN W. WEEKS.
Late Senator of N.H.

WANTED.
A GENTLEMAN'S SECOND-HAND SADDLE. Apply at This Office.

NOTICE
FROM
BOARD OF HEALTH!
All to Whom it May Concern
WITHIN the Corporation of the Town of Belleville, are requested to
Cleanse and Remove all Offal,
as well as any and everything likely to endanger the lives of our fellow citizens,
Before the First day of May, 1877.
If the offal and other nuisance be not removed by the First day of May, the law relating thereto will be rigidly enforced.
Persons having complaints to make will communicate with the Secretary in writing.
J. T. BELL, President.
J. P. McDONNELL, Secretary.
Belleville, April 16, 1877. 4i

MOLLER'S
COD LIVER OIL!
—(o)—
BARTHOLICK'S
MOTHER'S RELIEF!
ROWLAND'S MACASSAR OIL
HYGENIQUE OIL.
RECEIVED THIS WEEK
BY
L W YEOMANS & CO
Front, opposite Hotel St.
Or N. E. Corner Bridge and Front Streets.

KID GLOVES.
RECEIVED To-Day,
ANOTHER LOT
OF THOSE
CHEAP
FRENCH KID GLOVES,
IN ALL SHADES.
ONLY 65c, WORTH $1.
In Numbers ranging from 5½ to 7½,

FRESH ARRIVALS
—OF—
NEW
GROCERIES
—AT—
ROSS & DAVIES.
CANNED PEACHES,
" PINE APPLE
" TOMATOES,
" GREEN PEAS,
" STRING BEANS,
" SUGAR CORN
Crosse & Blackwell's SARDINES
CANNED LOBSTERS,
" SALMON,
" MACKEREL,
Pots MARMALADE,
" RED CURRANT JELLY
" BL'K do
" RED CURRANT JAM,
" STRAWBERRY JAM,
" RASPBERRY JAM
Crosse & Blackwell's MALT VINEGAR,
FINEST OLIVE OIL,
FRENCH MUSTARD in Pots
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
April 18, 1877.

CURTIS BOGART,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Office—Robertson's Block, Front Street, Belleville. apr20-3m

G. S. TICKELL.
Renovation and Enlargement
OF
WARE ROOMS.
Great Variety,
New Patterns,
Cheap Goods,
FOR THE SPRING TRADE.
HAT RACKS, BRACKETS, &c., WHAT NOTS, FANCY TABLES, &c., &c.
SOMETHING NEW.
Platform Rocking Chair,
Without the objectionable Rockers.
BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS IN
GILT CORNICES.
SPRING and OTHER MATTRASSES.

SCHOONER FOR SALE
THE schooner "Gazelle" will be sold for $2,500 Cash. For particulars apply to
SAVAGE & McDONALD,
Wellington.
Jan. 4, 1876. 6m

TENDERS FOR COAL.
SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned at his office, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, and marked "Offers for Fuel," will be received until noon
ON THE 5TH MAY,
FOR HARD and SOFT
COAL!
Required for the following Public Institutions, namely:
Asylum for the Insane, Toronto.
About 800 Tons of Hard Coal, Lehigh, Scranton or Pittston, and 350 Tons of Soft Coal, (of which 100 Tons is to be delivered at Pumping House on the Bay.)
Asylum for the Insane, London.
About 1,000 Tons of Soft Coal, and 100 Tons of Hard Coal.
Asylum for the Insane, Hamilton.
About 500 Tons of Soft Coal, (130 Tons of which to be delivered at Pumping House in the City), and 80 Tons of Hard Coal.
Asylum for the Insane, Kingston.
About 1,400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 30 Tons Hard Coal.
Central Prison, Toronto.
About 650 Tons of Soft Coal, and 40 Tons of Hard Coal.
Institution for the Blind, Brantford.
About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 50 Tons of Hard Coal.
Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville.
About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 30 Tons of Hard Coal.
The Coal to be delivered at the respective Institutions in a manner satisfactory to the undersigned and the authorities of such Institutions, by the 1st August next.
Specifications and forms of Tender to be had on application to the undersigned, or to the Bursars of the Institutions named.
Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of the Contract, or for each of the Contracts, as Tenders will be received for the whole supply, or for each Institution separately.
The Lowest Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
J. W. LANGMUIR,
Inspector of Asylums, Prisons, &c., for the Province of Ontario.
Toronto, April 17th, 1877. 3tawtd

SPRING ROOM PAPERS
AT REYNOLDS'.
WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED our Spring Stock of
ENGLISH ROOM PAPER
Imported Direct, thus enabling us to sell it AT VERY LOWEST PRICES.
All New and Handsome Patterns, ranging from 7 to 30 Cents.
Hall Papers, Borderings & Window Blinds
An Inspection invited. Remember the Stand.
J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Ticket Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connecting Lines.
April 6, 1877.

TO RENT OR SELL,
THAT desirable house situated on William Street, Taylor's Hill. For particulars enquire of the owner, on the premises.
JOHN DAWES.
Belleville, April 14, 1877.

REMOVED!
THE undersigned has removed three doors North to
W W Jones' Old Stand
And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,
Including everything that can be found in
A First-Class Dry Goods Store.
The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.
A Call Solicited.
N. H. PETERSON.
April 12, 1877.

SALADS SALADS
Crosse & Blackwell's
SALAD CREAM,
SALAD SAUCE,
ENGLISH MALT VINEGAR
ENGLISH CRYSTAL Do.
BARTON & GUESTIER'S
FINEST SALAD OIL.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Apr 19th, 1877.

FARMERS AND GARDENERS will find a good assortment of TOOLS in their line AT CHOWN'S.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express, 6.50 a m
No. Express, 6.10 p m
Mixed 9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, 12:05 p m
No. 3 Express, 12.22 a m
Mixed, 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at 2 p m
" Trenton at 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 25.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Train Late.—The express train from the east, due here last evening at 6.15 was an hour behind time,

The Free Hotel—Four tramps put up at the free hotel last night. There was no prisoners on the roll.

Recovered.—The man Cooper who was stabbed by O'Donohue at Marmora has recovered and has left the village for his home.

First Page.—A report of the Blecker Ward Contested Municipal Election appears on the first page of to-day's issue.

Court of Chancery.—The spring sittings of the Court of Chancery will commence tomorow before the Hon. Chancellor Spragge.

Personal.—Mr. G. E. Henderson, Q C., conducts the Crown business at the Spring Assiz s for the County of Victoria, which opened yesterday.

Pocket-Picking.—A lady whilst attending the sale at Cheap John's yesterday had her pocket relieved of $12. The thief was not detected.

Pulled Down.—The fence surrounding the grounds of St. Thomas Church were torn down on Monday night. Who committed this act of rowdyism is not known.

A Report—It was rumored on the street to-day that the G J. R. had been purchased by the G. T. R. The report, however, lacks confirmation.

On the Road.—The fruit tree vendor is once more on the road therefore we may soon expect to hear that some of "the unsuspecting public" have been gulled.

Notice.—The persons whose applications for license to sell liquor have been granted must take out their licenses before the 1st of May.

Army and Navy officers make their head quarters at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia. So do leading business men from sections, while for families and large parties of travellers it also offers unequalled attractions.

False Report—A report was prevalent in Kingston on Monday night that the steamer *Hastings* had been burned whilst coming up the bay. The rumor was false as the boat is running regularly.

Anniversary.—The 58th anniversary of Oddfellowship will be celebrated here tomorrow by the members of the order, by a procession in the afternoon and concert in the evening.

Police Court.—There was only one case before this tribunal to day; that of James Orr who was charged without a license. James paid the costs; took out a license and was then discharged.

Growing.—The buds on the trees are growing very fast and are now beginning to open out; the grass is also growing fast and looks nice. A few days makes a great difference at this *time* of the year.

A Generous Offer.—Peterboro' has offered the proprietor of the Newburg mills a bonus of $10,000, a free site, and a guarantee that wood will not cost over $1 50 a cord if he will move his mills thither. Mr. Grange is not over liberally treated in Newburg.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, maintains its famous reputation as a model first class house. Its reduction from $4.00 to 2.50 and $3 00 per day makes it more popular than ever.

First Appearance.—He was out yesterday. We mean the fellow who wore the big straw hat trimmed with white. There were about seven yards of trimmings and about half a yard of hat. And it was'nt a blue glass hat neither.

A Fast Ride.—A horse owned by Mr. A. P. Farrel, of the Queen's Hotel, undertook to run away with her rider yesterday and partially succeeded. She moved up Front Street very lively but after turning into the Market Square was stopped.

Singular.—In view of the fact that a number of small yachts owned here were oversparred last year, it is somewhat singular that no drowning accidents took place. If, however, the same tactics are carried out this year, a few interesting items will doubtless be furnished reporters.

Vessel Building.—A vessel which is intended for the ocean timber-carrying trade, is now on the stocks at Garden Island. It is expected she will be finished early next month. A vessel which is to be used in unloading timber from vessels is also being built at the same place.

Bad Sidewalks.—The sidewalks throughout the town are in many places in a defective state. It therefore behoves the Chairman of Streets to have them put in a proper state of repair before any accidents occur or the town will be mulct in damages.

Jumped.—A man was in town yesterday engaging men for Gilmour & Co., at $18 per month. He succeeded in hiring a few but as the wages were not sufficiently remunerative many when asked declined to go. Those who did engage were taken to Trenton where they "jumped."

A Chimney Blaze.—One of the chimneys of the large frame tenement opposite Pope's dock took fire last night about half past nine. The fire did not do any damage, but some of the inmates of the house were injured during the excitement caused by the blaze.

Advancing.—The price of flour has advanced, and is now $9.00 per barrel. The advance is attributed to to the war in the East.

Marine—The *Florence* passed down from Trenton yesterday with lumber for the Welland Canal. The *Philo Bennett*, *M. O. Gorman* and *William Elgin* passed up. The two last named have made a round to Oswego, from Trenton. The *Rainbow* left here last night with lumber.

☞ We direct attention to the announcement of Messrs. G. C. Holton & Co., offering their entire stock of fancy and staple dry goods at the actual cost. Parties purchasing can rely on this being a genuine sale. Give them a call and you will be convinced that everything in this establishment is offered as advertised.

Had a Fit.—A woman hailing from Kingston whilst entering the Town Hall this afternoon was seized with a fit. She was taken into the station and a doctor summoned and she soon recovered. She was out of funds and had two children with her, when all being hungry the Chief sent them to his hotel for dinner. The woman had been forwarded from Kingston to Napanee and from that town here.

Something New.—Those men who have had their soft corns hurt by stubbing against the protruding nails in the sidewalk on Bridge Street between Front and Pinnacle Streets will be glad to know that the blue haze of profanity which they created in that locality will soon disappear as a new sidewalk is to be built there. This item of news will be also agreeable to the ladies as several have had their dresses torn by these nails.

Correction.—In our report of the contested Separate School election for Samson Ward, the following answer in Mr. Flynn's evidence—"he said that so help him God he would never enter the male school if Father Murphy was not elected and part of the old trustees removed"—should have read as follows: "He said so help his God he would'nt cross the threshold of the male Separate School while a portion of the present trustees were in power."

Dunkin.—In view of the action of the hotel keepers in closing their houses, a few of the leading temperance men of Napanee, on Monday rented for three years one of the largest, and Mr. Potter, a thorough temperance man, at once entered into possession, and will run the place on strictly temperance principles. It is now said that the liquor sellers intend to keep open houses for a time. The travelling public will, therefore, be afforded larger and cheaper accommodation in consequence of the passage of the Dunkin Act.

A Social Reform Needed.—We don't really know that it is worth mentioning—perhaps there is no truth in it after all—still, as it is a matter that considerably interests our female readers, we may as well say that an Anti-Women's-Carrying-Their Pocket-book.-In-Their-Hands Society has been formed, and is in active operation, embracing in its membership many citizens of social distinction. Its object is to discourage the practice of carrying pocketbooks in such a silly and ostentatious manner, placing temptation needlessly in the way of those inclined to be dishonest. The members are all sworn to secrecy. They offer a reward to all thieves who steal pocketbooks thus exposed, and if the lady robbed happens to be the wife, sister, or relative of a member, and a cure is affected, the reward is doubled. The Society also finds bail and procures counsel for their agents who may come to grief while engaged in the discharge of their painful but necessary duty, or, if it is necessary, buys up a juror, and thus secures a disagreement!

STREET-CORNER LOAFING.

We are certain a large majority of the citizens of Belleville would be much pleased if our Police authorities could only interpret the Vagrant Act as they do in Hamilton. We clip the following from the "Times:"—"A warning to boys who loaf at street corners—At the Police Court this morning several boys were introduced to His Worship the Police Magistrate, accused of annoying passers-by of Victoria Avenue on King street on Sunday last. The police constable gave them a moral lecture and afterwards arrested them. Evidence of residents in the vicinity showed that boys congregate there and at other places to swear, smoke and chew tobacco, and to make themselves a nuisance to everybody. The Magistrate said that if they appeared before him again on such a charge they would be sent to jail without the option of a fine. It is a warning to those who are in the habit of congregating at street corners. The police authorities seldom notice anything of the kind, but we hope that now they have commenced they will not stop until the city is no longer infested with such nuisances."

COAL OIL LAMPS.

An exchange mentions a case in regard to the management of coal oil lamps, which it behoves those using the same to notice. A merchant returned home about two o'clock at night and found his wife lying on the bed groaning heavily, and unconscious. She was waiting his return, and at last laid herself on the bed, after turning down the wick of a lighted lamp as low as possible without extinguishing it. In this position of the wick, if the oil is bad, a vapor mixed with an innumerable quantity of specks of soot diffuses itself through the apartment, and so covers the eyes, nose and respiratory organs, that on falling asleep one runs the risk of suffocation. It is always advisable, therefore, in the use of coal oil lamps, to allow the wick to burn brightly, or to extinguish it entirely.

Volunteer Camps.—The subject of our volunteers is one in which our people, both inside and outside of Parliament, take a deep interest, and hence it may not be out of place to repeat what the Minister of Militia said in regard to the policy of the Department the coming season. He stated that the intention of the Government was to drill a camp of 20,000 men, which would include all companies and corps not drilled last year, and continue five days. Moreover, though he could not say what course the Government would eventually adopt, his opinion was that the permanent strength of the militia would be reduced to 20,000 men.

—Monday was the anniversary of Shakspeare's death.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

The Crisis in the East.

50,000 RUSSIANS CROSS THE PRUTH

THE FIRST SHOT FIRED.

FORMIDABLE PREPARATIONS FOR THE DEFENCE OF THE DANUBE.

London, April 24.—In the House of Lords Earl Derby stated that 17,000 Russian troops crossed the frontier last night.

Earl Derby said:—"Throughout the negotiations I have found on the part of the Porte a deep-seated conviction that, make whatever concessions they might, sooner or later war would be forced upon them. Looking at all the circumstances with the light of experience, I do not see that any other course than that which we have adopted would have had a more successful result."

Count Schouvaloff, in communicating the Russian circular to-day, stated that a general order to cross the frontier had been given.

A *Standard* correspondent on board a Danube steamer reports that the Turks have made a great movement from Widdin towards Rustchuk in boats towed by steamers. It is reported, however, that they were brought back by night. The Turkish preparations for the defence of the Danube by means of gunboats, ironclads, etc., are most formidable. The Turkish troops are well armed and clothed, and are in good spirits and condition, although dysentery has appeared among them.

A Vienna telegram says the immediate object of the Russian advance into Roumania is to protect the Railway bridge at Barboschi, where the first collision is expected. If the Turks succeed in destroying the bridge, the Russians would have a difficulty in procuring supplies.

A Constantinople despatch states that Safve Pasha will go through the form of addressing a note to the signatory Powers protesting against the rupture by Russia as a breach of the treaty of Paris.

It is reported that a few shots have been exchanged between an advance guard of the Russian and Turkish armies in Asia.

Vienna, April 24—The Russian advance guard, which commenced crossing the Pruth at sunrise to-day, numbers 50,000, half cavalry, half infantry. They are taking the direction of Galatz. Five other divisions, with forty cannon, are stationed at Kubei. They will advance so as to reach the Danube at Ismail, Killia, and Viloff. The companies of sappers who have already passed through Bucharest are going to Giurgevo to throw up defences against Turkish raiders.

50,000 Russians are said to be marching from Tartar-Bunar in the direction of Galatz, as well as 50,000 who are crossing the river at Kenea, Feltschi, Loowa, and Unghenni.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

DISGRACE AND DEATH.

Packard Steps Down and Out.

FROZEN TO DEATH

THE RUSSIAN FLEET IN AMERICAN WATERS.

Austria Watching Servia.

Gen. Von Moltke's Speech.

Baltimore, Md., April 25.—Rev. Jos. Jones, pastor of the Independent Methodist Church, misappropriated a $50,000 bequest to the church. An exposure was about to follow. On Monday his sudden death was reported. It is believed he took prussic acid.

New York, April 25.—The *Herald's* New Orleans special says at 11 last night Packard addressed his forces; thanked them for their devotion; said the time had come to end the conflict; bade them adieu and left. A majority of the police and guard then evacuated the building.

Deadwood, D., April 25.—Six men, including C. Daniels of Syracuse, left Black Hills with a party recently, and started on independently. Two were subsequently found almost frozen wandering about. The frozen bodies of Daniels and another were found and the two remaining are supposed to have perished.

The *World* says Dr. Barnard, bank examiner, St. Louis, a relation of Gen. Grant has been removed. A Democratic Senate next fall as well as a Democratic House is looked upon as a well ascertained probability.

The *Tribune* says under the principles of of neutrality our Government cannot permit the Russian fleet to remain in our harbors longer than a reasonable time after a declaration of hostilities, unless the vessels disarm. Private vessels carrying arms hence to Turkey do it at a risk of capture by Russia on the high seas, and are without claims to protection from the U. S.

Vienna, April 30.—It is stated that in event of Servia declaring war against Turkey, Austria will concentrate troops at Semlin.

London, April 25.—The speech of Gen. Von Moltke in the German Parliament yesterday has created an immense sensation in Europe. The Bourses were more affected by it than by the outbreak of the war between Turkey and Russia.

Despatches from the East report that the Turkish troops are hastily advancing to seize and take possession of all strategical points possible in Roumania.

A despatch from Bucharest says the Russians have occupied Barbaroussa at the railway junction.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

BURGLARS SHOT.

EUROPEAN NEWS,

Bethlehem, Pa., April 25—Six burglars, while attempting to enter Wickson's store, were surprised by an officer who shot two of them. Wm. Mack, of Phillipsburg, N. J., was instantly killed. The rest, including the wounded man, escaped.

Ragusa, April 25.—Prince Nicholas of Montenegro and staff have gone to the Albanian frontier.

Paris, April 25.—A majority of the Paris papers express the opinion that Von Moltke's declarations in the German Parliament yesterday were not intended as hostile to France.

London, April 25—A Berlin special says,—Von Moltke's speech attracts as much attention here as the Russian manifesto. It is generally assumed that Von Moltke intended to tell the French that Germany is watching their armaments and warning her that Germany will not allow her to profit by the Oriental trouble for possible pursuit of the anti-Teutonic.

AN EAGLE BENT ON HUMAN PREY.

A few weeks since two boys, aged respectively three and five years, belonging to a family named McKenzie, living at Green Harbor, about three miles from Lockport, were playing at the back of the house, when suddenly it seemed to them to grow dark, and looking up they saw a tremendous eagle, with wings set and claws extended, almost in the very act of setting them into the smaller boy. The elder comprehended the danger at a glance and gave a terrific scream, which alarmed the eagle and brought the family at once to the rescue. They say, as far as they can judge, that the bird must have measured at least ten feet from tip to tip, and would have had no difficulty in lifting the boy. It was certainly a narrow escape. The same eagle, no doubt, has been discovered soaring above and about the premises.—*Halifax (N. S.) Chronicle.*

This and That.

—Mr. Cook, of Vienna, has obtained the mastership of the Caledonia school.

—The steamer Peerless will be used as a tug on the Rideau Canal this season. She is now being thoroughly overhauled.

—A reward of $100 is offered for the arrest of Samuel Hawkins, who attempted to murder his wife in Sparta a few days since.

—Earl Dudley won £10,000 on O'Leary's victory over Weston, which he has devoted to the restoration of the Worcester Cathedral.

—A Catholic committee has made Mr. Mapleson an offer to purchase the site and building as far as completed, of the Grand National Opera House, on the London Embankment.

—Bishop Clark, of Rhode Island, preached in Westminster Abbey on Sunday afternoon. It is said that he is the first American bishop invited to officiate in the Abbey.

—A Dublin despatch says Mulcahey, the returned Fenian convict, has been invited to contest the seat for Tipperary, made vacant

—In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Bourke said that Spain had promised to try General Burriel, of Virginius massacre notoriety, and that the trial had been delayed on account of the non-receipt of papers from Cuba.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, April 25.

Greenbacks buying at	92½
" selling at	94
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	87½

Gold opened at 107¼; closed at 107⅜.

Montreal Markets.

MONTREAL, April 25.

Flour—Receipts 3,520 barrels. Sales, 4,100 barrels. Market active excited and unsettled, Sales, 100 superior at 8.60; 1,200 do at 8.50; 200 spring extra at 8.25; 1,800 do at 8 00; 800 American bags at 4 00.

Grain and provisions unchanged.

Ashe—Pots easier firsts 4,15 to 4,20.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 29, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 18,000. Shipments none. Market active and excited 15 to 20c, higher; light grades selling at 5.50 to 5 60, heavy packing at 5.50 to 5.80; choice shipping at 5.60 to 6 00.

New York Markets.

New York, April 25, 1877.

Gold—107⅜.
Cotton—Quiet, 11⅛
Flour—25 to 50 cents better, Receipts, 9,000 barrels; sales, 16,000 barrels.
Rye Flour—Quiet firm $5.50 to $6.10
Wheat—Held 5 to 10c higher at $1.75 to $1.80. Receipts 60,000; sales 76,000.
Rye—Advancing, $1.05 to $1.08.
Corn—1 to 2c higher. Rects, 75,000 bush.; sales 90,000 bush. at 65 to 67c, and 67 to 70.
Barley—Scarce.
Oats—Firmer. Receipts 14,000 bush; sales 35,000 bush, 47 to 58c for mixed; 50 to 64
Pork—Firm at 16 00 16 35.
Lard—firmer at 10.35.
Butter—10 to 18c for old; 13 to 25c new
Cheese—7 to 14c.
Petroleum—Crude 9½c; refined 15.

After war, pestilence and intemperance—colds lead to the greatest destruction of human life, mainly because it is considered by many to be of no consequence, and hence systematically neglected, until a simple, curable disease, is converted into a fatal pulmonary one. Every one troubled with what is called a slight cold or cough, should immediately use "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers." They allay irritation at once, and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used: It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it, It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out, Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

Beware of Imitation,—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

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A SENSE OF WEARINESS

is often felt by persons who cannot locate any particular disease. If they work it becomes labor; if they walk, they soon tire; mental efforts become a burden, and even joys are dimmed by the shadow of this weakness which is cast over their lives. Recourse is had sometimes to stimulants of a dangerous character. The advice of physicians to refrain from active labor produces no happy results. Why? The system is debilitated and needs to be built up properly. Peruvian Syrup will do this very thing. Like the electric current, it permeates the entire system, and harmonizing with the corporeal functions, it rises up the enfeebled, and brings the color to the cheek again, and hope to the despondent. It does its work promptly and well. Sold by all druggists.

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The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of marvellous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remed and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantges derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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anyone being paid for the team on the day of election; I believe I promised John Doyle to vote for him; there was no promise made to me for voting for Meagher; got no benefit in any way; Mr. Meagher was not in my house the night before election; he was in my house one night; he came to enquire where a man lived; don't sell liquor; there was no liquor sold in my house the day of election; there was no treating there; my wife got no present.

Cornelius Donovan, sworn—I live on the Canifton Road outside the corporation; am a voter in Bleecker Ward; remember the election, and voted; took no active part in the election; promised to vote for Doyle, but did not know that Meagher was coming out; had no arrangemement about a debt being paid; there was no promise made to me by Meagher or anyone on his behalf; there was a man working for Meagher who owed me, but he paid me part in money and part in oats last October; never said that this debt was paid me owing to the election.

Cross-examined—Tansey said he had bet $5.00 that I would not vote for Doyle.

Wm. Brower, sworn—On the 1st Jan. I was driving around town with my own team and at my own expense; was not electioneering that day; gave a ride to some voters that day; was not driving for Meagher; didn't get a promise of anything; got some oats from Mr. Meagher, which I paid for; never received anything directly or indirectly from Mr. Meagher.

The following evidence was given for the defence.

Benj. Loranger, sworn—Live at the Station; have a team; had one Jan. 1st.; have a vote in that ward; voted at the election; had my team out that day; I was asked on Sunday whom I was going to use my team for; I said, Mr. Doyle; Doyle did not speak himself about my team but several men asked me to do so; I told them I would do so; we had a meeting of the St. Vincent de Paul Society in the church on Sunday, and after the meeting I was asked to go with my team for Mr. Doyle; Mr. Doyle was present; this was outside the church; Mr. S. Wade was one who asked me to come out with my team; don't remember the others; the clergyman was not there; I told Mr. Doyle that I was going to run my team for him; it was on the road; it was after the nomination that I told Doyle; did not attend any meetings of Doyle's; Mr. Doyle treated me to a cigar at Doctor's the day of election; there were a good many there; there were some men with Doyle when I drove him up and they went into Doctor's with me; know Holden Reid; did not tell him that I was offered $4.00 for my team by Mr. Doyle; did not say so to Brown or any other man; I never got anything except the cigar; if I drank that day I paid for it myself.

Cross-examined—Mr. O'Brien asked me to go on Monday morning to drive for Mr. Meagher.

Holden Reid, sworn—Know Lorangor; saw him the morning of election.

Wm. McGinnes, sworn—Remember the election for Bleecker Ward; voted at the election; am not the owner of property in the ward; my brother and I are in business together; he voted on the shop and I voted on the house; there is no partnership and never has been; the building belongs to Mrs. Whiteford; I work with my brother, but receive no pay; get what money I want out of the business; am now employed on the Street Railway; I said to my brother before the election that I ought to have a vote, and he said that he would try and put me on; I can go and take what money I want and charge it to myself; if I got a suit of clothes I would charge it to the business; I swear that I had as much interest in the business as my brother when the assessment was made; I was driving about 3 months on the Street Railway; my interest still continued in the business.

The case was enlarged until Friday next at 10 a.m.

A BIGGER PUSH.

The correspondent the the Oshawa "Reformer has been collating the facts which will be brought out in the suit of Hon. Mr. Simpson against the fellow Wilkinson for criminal libel, and the result is exceedingly interesting. We give a couple of "morceaux" below, which require no comment:

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tria an autograph letter repeating assurances that Russia wishes no an tion.

It is announced from Tiflis that the sian Caucasian army commenced opera to-day by marching in two columns tow Erzeroum and Batoum.

The *Post* publishes the following:— hear that British officers on leave of abs have been requested to rejoin their ments.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 26.—An Imp order was promulgated to-day decla Bessarbia the littoral district of Khe and the Provinces of Taurida and Cri in a state of siege.

BUCHAREST, April 26 —Yesterday 15 Russians occupied the railway bridge Barbaschi. Up to yesterday evening 50,000 Russians had entered Roum The Turks up to that time remained fectly passive on the banks of the abe. The Roumanian army has ret from the Danube into the interior, wh it is divided into two bodies, one at charest, and the other at Krajova. inhabitants on both banks of the Dan are fleeing into the interior of Rouma

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E. CONDON,
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OLD WORLD INTELLIGENCE.

Sir Augustus Paget, who is mentioned as the probable successor of Sir Henry Elliott as British Minister to Constantinople has represented his Government at Saxony, Norway, Denmark and Italy.

A Russian engineer named Pereljatke has invented a sort of land monitor, in which artillerists sit in a tower and drive about in battle, shooting as they go. The contrivance is moved by steam, and is about to be tested by the Government.

The first of a series of six grand concerts is to be given in the Albert Hall, London, England, under the direction of Richard Wagner, on May 7. The *Academy* of March 31, making the announcement says: "The orchestra is to consist of 200 performers. Wilhelmj is to be leader, and Wagner, of course, conductor. We hear—though the report at present needs confirmation—that it is by no means impossible that Lizst may also come to London and play at the festival to assist his friend's enterprise."

The site of the monument erected at Karakakoa Bay, in the island of Owhyhee, to the memory of Captain Cook is to be improved, and twelve old 32 pounders are to be taken to the Sandwich Islands for the purpose of building a suitable fence. The monument is a plain concrete obelisk, twenty feet high, and stands on the spot where the great navigator was killed by the natives on the 14th of February, 1779.

Milton Hall, the ancestral seat of the Fitzwilliams, and one of the finest of the noble houses of England, has had a narrow escape from destruction by fire. In the afternoon flames were seen issuing from one of the windows and out of the roof on the south side of the Hall, being the part used by the servants. Fortunately no great damage was done.

A gallant captain in England was up for his final examination before the Chief Judge in Bankruptcy, and, as it was manifest that his creditors had been very badly used, the Judge, in giving him his discharge, felt it incumbent upon him to administer a grave rebuke to the bankrupt "I hope, sir," he said, with judicial solemnity, "I shall never see you again." "Oh," returned the jocular bankrupt, "but you will, though, I can tell you! Why, do you suppose we pay you five thousand a year for nothing?"

As an express train was bowling along between Paris and Rouen on March 24, one of the wheels broke, a carriage was thrown off the track, the lights were extinguished, and a crash was momentarily expected. A young man volunteered to undertake to communicate with the engineer by passing along the footboard outside the coaches, but was prevented by a Paris merchant, Alfred Hallett, who declared that he was accustomed to such hazardous work, and would go first. "If I fail," he added, "you may try afterward." After a terrible shaking, he reached the engine and stopped the train.

On the walls of certain quarters of Paris may be seen just now a large placard, with a map in the centre, advertising for sale by auction the historical domain of Malmaison. The whole estate may be purchased at one bid, or that failing, which is most probable, the ground will be sold for building purposes. Strange destiny! It was once the residence of Napoleon I. and the Empress Josephine, who embellished the grounds and built the pavilion in which her husband is said to have planned his later campaigns. Napoleon III. bought the property of Queen Christina. Neglected and deserted since it was the scene of partial engagements during the siege of 1870, it is now likely to be occupied by cockney villas for Parisians, who are fond of possessing summer retreats near the capital.

PLOWING WITH DYNAMITE.

A new way of plowing has been invented, and agriculture will derive advantage from certain compounds heretofore employed in engineering. The patient, plodding on, and intelligent, obedient horse will no longer be absolutely required, while steam-plows may be turned to other uses. Dynamite, ignited by a light body, will burn as quickly as a lucifer match; but if set fire to by means of a percussion cap, it will detonate at once with great violence. Engineers now use it freely for mining in quarries. At the works now going on at the Trocadero, Paris, passers-by may, at certain hours be startled by a deep rumbling sound. This is caused by springing of of dynamite mines, which without any violent projection of materials, make the obstacles crumble away and break up the underground rocks, the fragments of which are used for the buildings of the Great Exhibition. Now dynamite will perform a similar service in the fields. The Duke of Sutherland in Scotland, and Dr. Hamm in Austria, have employed it for cleaning land, and for digging much deeper than any instrument could. A certain number of dynamite cartridges are buried at regular distances in the soil, and connected together by electric wires. The explosion is simultaneous and though nothing is thrown up, the field is effectually plowed.

A WONDERFUL NATURAL CURIOSITY.

The Bendigo *Advertiser* says:—"A natural curiosity of an extraordinary character is to be seen at the Mining Registrar's office, Sandhurst. It is placed on the mantlepiece, and the visitor, on entering the room and looking in that direction, sees a small but very pretty and cleverly executed landscape painting some six inches square. The foreground represents a grass plot, in the centre of which are two small ponds, out of one of which the water flows in a small stream toward a patch of rocks. A little distance behind the ponds is a farm house, at the rear and side of which is a row of tall poplar trees. Light stratified clouds with a dash of blue, complete the picture. The perspective is almost perfect, and the lights and shades are remarkably well brought out. This is particularly seen in the cluster of rocks, which appears to have been drawn by the hand of a most skilful artist. Closer inspection of this piece of work reveals to the astonished onlooker that it is neither more nor less than a piece of slate rock, on which natures hand alone has developed a pretty rural scene which would not do discredit to the brush of Cuvelot. This curiosity was found on the Carshalton reef, and the rock, on being broken up, split in such a way as to leave the face on which the picture is represented convex. The various shades, tints, and figures appear to have been formed by the trickling of water containing iron between the seams of the rock."

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 26.

Mr. Mackenzie has introduced a Bill securing unseated and other members from being sued under the Independence of Parliament Act for damages.

It is believed that the House will prorogue either to-morrow or Saturday, notwithstanding the backwad state of affairs, owing to the conduct of the Opposition.

The Opposition will likely move against Mr. Workman, of Montreal, for having received Government pay in return for goods sold at his establishment. Who shall escape ?

Dr. Brouse has presented the report of his Committee, appointed to enquire into the best means of securing the vital statistics of Canada. Its contents will be anticipated with interest.

Dr. Shoultz has been lauded by a few whose political desires greatly outweigh their temperance zeal, for what he tried to do in favor of a prohibitory liquor law. Rumor does him a serious injustice if it be not true that the other night, in the Senate restaurant, he did not mount a box, and holding on high a glass of the element he condemns in public, deliver an eulogy upon it. Yet this is the man who presumes to take the advocacy of the temperance cause on his shoulders.

Gen. Von Moltke's speech in the German Parliament, on Tuesday, has created immense excitement in Europe. It is looked upon as tantamount to a menace to France, and an intimation that military preparations in the latter country are watched with jealous interest by Germany. The old hero evidently regards the present difficulty on the Danube as only the beginning of a terrible struggle, when "every Government in Europe will have to strain its strength to secure its existence." There is just a probability that Germany intends putting her army on a war footing, in anticipation of a general European struggle. Should she adopt such a course, the feeling in Europe may be well founded.

The Minister of Justice is quite indisposed, and unable to attend either the Committee meetings or the House. He suffers from the same malady that affected him in 1872, when he went to England for a holiday. During the present session he has been employed almost constantly, night and day. In addition to his public duties he has had control of a mass of legislation, which could be entrusted to no other hands, and of which the public know little or nothing. The Opposition are tendering the usual fulsome condolence, and intimate that his illness is more political than physical. There is not the slightest prospect of Mr. Blake's retiring from the Government, so speculation of that nature is altogether premature.

THE PACIFIC RAILWAY.

We have devoted considerable space to matters referring to this great public work. The Chief Engineer's report of what has been accomplished up to date, and the nature and extent of the work contemplated, was particularly interesting, inasmuch as the Premier had announced the intention of the Government to be influenced by what Mr. Flemming recommends. The general policy of the Government has not been changed further than necessity has warranted. When Mr. Mackenzie first explained that policy the main principle of economy was dwelt upon. The intention then was to proceed with the construction of the road as rapidly as was consistent with the prosperity of the rest of the country and the financial position of the Government. That is the intention still. Since the present Government came into power the *terra incognita*, through which a large portion of the road must pass, has been visited by experienced engineers and its characteristics ascertained. The plan, as first sketched, was to carry through the Georgian Bay branch, so as to connect by the shortest line with the system of roads contemplated west of the great lakes and the existing system and navigable waters of the older Provinces. It has been found by practical experience that a portion of the proposed line, as projected by the late Government, lying between Lakes Nipissing and Nepigon, is exceedingly difficult in an engineering point of view. But little land, throughout this region, is fit for settlement. The Government has, therefore, determined to abandon it for the present. Thunder Bay or Fort William is practically as near to the older Provinces as Lake Nepigon, by steamboat, while the route from the former places to the westward is much better than from the latter. Fort William, on the Kaministiquia, has, therefore, been made the terminus on Lake Superior. From this point to Winnipeg the great Lake Basin exists, and it has always been the intention of the Government to render the navigation of these lakes available until the demands of traffic should require an all rail route being built. The construction of the road between Lakes Superior and Winnipeg has been pushed as rapidly as possible, and 228½ miles are now under contract. The cost per mile for this distance would average about $24,521, or about half the average cost of the Intercolonial. Having by this means provided for entrance into the extensive prairie country west of Winnipeg, where land was considered valuable, the Government hopes to procure the construction of the road by payments in land. The expectation is, that contractors will be found willing to accept the land and money granted by Parliament—2,000 acres and $10,000 per mile. A guarantee of 4 per cent. per annum, for the capital representing whatever surplus remuneration may be thought necessary, for the next twenty years would be offered as a balance. Mr. Mackenzie stated that, in reply to advertisements, the Government expected tenders in time to lay before the House at the next session. The British Columbia route has been mentioned as presenting the greatest difficulties. The land is not of a quality to make it available for the payment of contractors. But nothing definite can be given of this portion until the surveys are completed and a route located. We have given the above synopsis of the Premier's explanations in order that our readers might know on what grounds Dr. Tupper based his motion of condemnation. As we stated yesterday, that motion was, after a thorough debate, voted down by a large majority—a majority, too, that would have been much larger had there been a full house.

Editorial Notes.

Operations on the new Windsor Hotel, Montreal, have been suspended for want of funds.

It is said that some American Life Insurance Companies Contemplate withdrawing from Canada.

The son of Thomas Lawson, of Stratford, was attacked by a vicious cow on Monday and hooked to death.

Chas. W. Close dropped dead on Front. St., Toronto, when proceeding to his work, on Tuesday. Heart disease was the cause.

Col. Skinner crawled into the House yesterday morning and voted against Dr. Tupper's amendment. He was cheered from both sides.

Seventy-seven young men passed the recent examination held in Toronto by the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and were licensed to practice. Think of that !

The Mayor of Hull has received a letter from the County of Megantic saying a man calling himself Hutchison is wandering around crazy, and saying he last worked in the Ottawa district.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Tuesday April 24th.

After routine business,

The Northern Railway Bill was, by consent of the House, recommitted to Committe of the Whole for the purpose of amending the eleventh clause by providing that nothing in the Act should affect the claims held by the Government on the Company except in so far as may be prescribed by any Act passed during the present session.

The amendment was concurred in by the House.

On the motion for the third reading,

Mr. Oliver moved the recommittal of the Bill for the purpose of amending it by restoring to the Governor in Council the control over the station lands and a portion of the alignment in the city of Toronto. He contended that unless this power were restored an injustice would be done to the Credit Valley and other roads seeking entrance into the city.

Mr. Mackenzie showed that the object of the Credit Valley or other routes running into Toronto would be better served without the restoration of the clause referred to of the act of 1860, while the amendment proposed would involve a great deal of inconvenience to the Northern Railway Company.

Mr. Oliver then withdrew the amendment and the Bill was read a third time.

After some discussion on the Campbell Divorce Bill and the second reading of Mr. Blake's Bill to amend the Act respecting the Auditing of Public Accounts, the adjourned debate on Dr. Tupper's Amendment to the Pacific Railway policy of the Government was resumed. Several members spoke *pro* and *con*, and a division of the House resulted in a majority for the Government of 45. Yeas, 59 ; Nays, 104.

CHANCERY SITTINGS.

(Before Hon. Chancellor Spragge.)

Thursday, April 26.

The Court opened this morning before the Hon. the Chancellor. As usual, a report of the sittings will appear in our columns. The following is a list of the causes to be tried :—

1. Foley *vs.* Foley.—Dickson for plff. ; Flint for deft.
2. Hays *vs.* Cryderman. — Frances & Forbes for plff. ; Biggar and Hoskin for deft.
3. Badgley *vs.* Cook, (B. & A.)—Dougall & Clute for plff. ; Fraleck and Jellett for deft.
4. Vermilvea *vs.* N. D. Ins. Co.—Dougall & Clute for plff. ; Brown & Brown for deft.
5. Glass *vs.* Zwick.—Simpson for plff. ; Alcorn and Diamond & Diamond for deft.
6. Gildersleeve *vs.* Cowan.—Flint for plff. ; Robertson, Falkiner and Hoskin for deft.
7. Curtis *vs.* Wilson.—Hon. L. Wallbridge for plff. ; Henderson & Henderson for deft.
8. Elvert *vs.* Elvert.—Burdett for plff. ; Hon. L. Wallbridge for deft.
9. Clark *vs.* Long.—Burdett for plff. ; Hon. L. Wallbridge for deft.
10. Roblin *vs.* Long.—Burdett for plff. ; Hon. L. Wallbridge for deft.
11. Moore *vs.* Brooks.—Dickson for plff. ; Jellett for deft.
12. C. P. & M. Ry. Co. *vs.* Machar.—Armour & Holland for plff. ; Machar and Dickson for deft.
13. Boulter *vs.* Boulter.—Fraleck for plff. ; Simpson for deft.
14. Howes *vs.* Howes.—Cartwright & Gibson for plff. ; MacGregor for deft.
15. Storing *vs.* Perry.—Bawden & Meagher for plff. ; Fraleck for deft.
16. Wellington *vs.* Wellington.—Simpson for plff. ; Kerr and Falkiner for deft.
17. Fargy *vs.* Wallbridge.—Dickson for plff ; Hon. L. Wallbridge for deft.
18. Miller *vs.* Presly.—Fraleck for plff. ; A. Robertson for deft.
19. Cunningham *vs.* Cunningham.—Simpson for plff ; Hoskin for deft.

EMPLOYMENT OF PRISONERS

Mr. Blake, recognizing the patent fact that nearly all the sentences to hard labor passed on prisoners who have to serve out their time in most Canadian jails are little better than a farce, has before Parliament a Bill intended to furnish a remedy. The Bill first permits the Lieutenant-Governor to make the necessary regulations for the prevention of escapes, and for preserving discipline in the case of prisoners employed beyond the limits of the common jails. Then comes the following clause:

> After such regulations are made, the Lieut.-Governor of the Province in Council may, from time to time, direct or authorize the employment upon any specific work or duty beyond the limits of any common jail, of any prisoner who, after a prior sentence of imprisonment for any breach of any law of Canada or of any Province, is sentenced to be imprisoned with hard labor in such jail, for any crime against any law of Canada.

It is also provided that no prisoner is to be so employed, save under the strictest care and supervision of officers appointed to that duty. The last clause of the Bill is a very important one. It enacts as follows:

> Every street, highway or public thoroughfare of any kind along or across which prisoners may pass in going to or returning from their work and every place where they may be employed under this Act, shall, while so used, be considered as a portion of the jail, and any escape or attempt at escape, and any rescue or attempt at rescue, shall be held as if such escape or attempt at escape, or rescue or attempt at rescue, had taken place within or from the jail.

ALL SO GAY.

On Modnay evening about midnight an extraordinary scene might have been witnessed in the Supreme Court Room. On that eventful day the complimentary dinner to Sir John Macdonald took place in the Senate Restaurant, and it is no news to say that a number of his friends became excited to an enthusiastic degree. At the hour mentioned a learned and distinguished lawyer who supports Sir John, a member of the late Government, and the counsel for a certain Northern Railway, found themselves in the Supreme Court Room. The Q. C. mounted the Judge's Bench, the ex-Minister from the bar began to plead a supposed case, while the railway man guarded the little gate as if he were chief doorkeeper. The dignity which these three gentlemen displayed, the sense they talked and the figures they cut, will not soon be forgotten by a number of persons who happened to be present and saw the exhibition, which was truly comical.

MEETING AT ST. THOMAS' RECTORY.

In accordance with the Rev. Mr. Burke's notice of Sunday last for a meeting upon the 25th inst. at the Rectory of the members of the congregation willing to assist in the rebuilding of St. Thomas Church, between 30 and 40 members attended, some of them being lady pew-holders.

Judge Sherwood took the chair at 8 o'clock.

The Rector stated that he would occupy the attention of the meeting with three matters. 1. An address which he wished to publish, if they thought advisable, in asnwer to the resolution of the adjourned meeting of the Vestry. 2. The question of rebuilding the church. 3. About the Town Hall.

The Rector having read his address, and having stated that his reason for desiring its publication was to inform the public on the true nature of the controversy, Mr. Lockwood moved, seconded by Mr. J. D. Evans, that the address be hereby approved and published.—Carried.

The 2nd point was discussed. A committee consisting of Judge Sherwood, L. H. Henderson, R. C. Hulme, M. Jellett and S. Wallbridge were appointed to promote the undertaking by all means in their power.

The Town Hall.—Mr. Hulme stated that he would rely on the courtesy of Mr. Pope to give the Churchwardens due notice before they were required to remove.

Dr. Burdett, seconded by Mr. Evans, moved "That a memorial be drawn up for presentation to the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, expressive of the confidence of the subscribers in the Rev. the Rector and their approval of his course in regard to the matters under dispute between him and members of his congregation." —Carried.

The meeting then adjourned.

CONTESTED SCHOOL ELECTION.

SHEEHAN *vs.* MURPHY.

The following is the evidence taken at the first hearing of the above case :—

James Cummins, sworn — I reside in Belleville; am a supporter of the R. C. Separate School; remember the occasion of the last election; was trustee in 1876; after what passed at church on Sunday, Mr. Northgraves did not want to act as Returning Officer, and I suggested John Fox as a person who would make a good Returning Officer; it has always been difficult to get Returning Officers; do not remember whether Father Murphy was present at church, but think he was; I was at church on the Sunday before the election; the subject of the election was mentioned by Father Farrelly; he referred to all the wards in town in which elections were to be held; he said Father Murphy was to be a candidate for Samson Ward, and he would be a candidate for Baldwin Ward if he could not get some good man to run in his place; he stated that the present Board were hiring teachers to teach their children immorality; he told the people that they should hunt them from the polls; if they didn't, so help him God he would never cross the threshold of the Male Catholic School; he talked for a long time, but this is about the substance of what he said; he said a great deal more; he referred to trustees, and named Mr. Kelly; Kelly was one of the trustees last year; he said Kelly had compared him (Father Farrelly) to Father Chiniquy; he said he was going to run Father Murphy against his friend Mr. Kelly in Samson Ward; he did not name whom they must vote for, but said they must drive these men from the polls; he kept up this commotion; I knew that the statement he made of teachers teaching immorality was wrong; my own children go there; I know that what Father Farrelly said on that day had the effect of electing every man that was elected in opposition to the old Board; I took part in the election in Samson Ward; canvassed for Sheehan and promised him my vote; went to record my vote; Father Murphy objected to it; he said I had no vote—that I should not vote; he stood near the poll—nearer the Returning Officer than I was; I asked why I should not vote; he said my name was not on a book he held in his hand; I did vote; parties whom I canvassed did not vote as they had promised; some did not vote at all; do not know why.

Cross-examined,— Father Murphy objected to my vote ; I had a vote ; I paid Separate School taxes on a lot Dickson lives on ; voted on assessment of 1875 ; I was assessed for the lot for 1875; no one was in the house when it was assessed in 1876 ; lot was assessed to me in 1875 and 1876 ; I suppose in the manner which would allow taxes to go to Separate School in 1876 ; I did not see Returning Officer's list ; he looked at it ; do not know who took down objections to my vote ; do not know Fox's writing ; I voted for Sheehan ; Sheehan was not trustee in 1875; Fox was not trustee for, that ward ; was not at nomination ; did not bring in a voter ; I went for one he was afraid to go ; I had a conversation with Northgraves and suggested Fox ; I knew he was a member of the Board; knew he was once opposed to Father Murphy ; I had conversed with Fox about the election ; I was anxious to defeat Father Murphy ; I was aware he was hostile to Father Murphy when I suggested him as a Returning Officer ; we had talked over School matters for six months ; I knew he had strong feelings against Murphy and I suggested him as a Returning Officer ; we could not find one who was not on one side or the other ; Northgraves accepted my suggestion at once ; I have stated the substance of what took place in church; I was annoyed at it ; I have given it as strongly as it was given.

(*To be continued.*)

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April 26, 1877.

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BEST QUALITY KID GLOVES—

Josephine, Jouvin, etc., single button reduced from $1.00 per pair to ONLY FIFTY CENTS. A few pairs children's sizes amongst them.

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Reduced to 50c., 60c., and 75c. Old prices from $1.00 to $2.00.

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CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby warned not to purchase a Promissory Note dated 12th January, 1877, for $500, made by T. McCabe, and endorsed by John Drinnan, the same having been made and endorsed without value, and upon special conditions, which have not been complied with. The said note is now over due.

T. McCABE.

Trenton, 21st April, 1877. 3i

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Barrel Top, Iron Bottom, Cotton Lined, Well Braced and Beautifully finished.

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Belleville, April 24, 1877.

TENDERS FOR TOWN HALL.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Clerk's Office in the Village of Tweed, up to 12 o'clock, noon, on the 10th day of May next, for the erection of a new Town Hall, in Tweed, for the Municipality of the Township of Hungerford.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. John Forin, Belleville, and at the Township Clerk's office in Tweed.

The Council will not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

WM. WRAY,
Township Clerk,
Hungerford.

Clerk's Office, Tweed,
April 21st, 1877.
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FARMERS AND GARDENERS will find a good assortment of TOOLS in their line AT CHOWN'S.

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Belleville, April 25th, 1877. d&wtf

NOTICE.

ALL THOSE who are entitled to receive a Tavern or Shop License for the sale of Spirituous or Fermented Liquor in West Hastings, for the year ending the 30th day of April, 1878, must take out the same on or before the First day of May next.

JAMES ROSS,
Inspector.

Belleville, April 25th, 1877. 2i

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

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FINE GROCERIES,

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Belleville, April 26, 1877.

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References—R. Thomson, Esq., Manager Merchants' Bank of Canada; Hon. R. Read, Senator; Hon. Lewis Wallbridge; N. B. Falkiner, Esq., Barrister; T. S. Carman, Esq., and M. Bowell, Esq., M.P.

G. C. Small, John Bull,
April 24, 1877. d&w3m

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Messrs. Chas. Parsons & Co.—Gents: A few weeks ago I had about two or three regiments of rats in and around my house. A friend sent me two boxes of your Insect Exterminator. I used a part of one box, according to instructions, and the rats took up marching orders, all but two or three, who will likewise march, now that we have discovered their haunts, upon the application of a little more of the Exterminator. I would therefore cheerfully recommend it to all who have rats about their premises.

Your friend, John W. Weeks,
Late Senator of N.H.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No.	Express,	6.50 a m
No.	Express,	6.10 p m
Mixed		9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 26

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A Big Stake.—We are informed that a produce dealer of Trenton, made $170,000 by the recent rise in the price of corn.

The Free Hotel.—This institution was well patronized last night, no less than eight tramps having been provided with accommodations.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, maintains its famous reputation as a model first class house. Its reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

River Drive.—A large force of men are employed in bringing the drive down the river. It is now as far back as Queensboro and will not get here for some weeks yet.

Running Regularly.—The steamer "Norseman" is now running regularly between north shore ports and Charlotte, leaving Port Hope on the arrival of the morning train.

Obituary.—George Simpson, who was the oldest resident of this section of the country, died at his residence in the village of Canifton, Tuesday, 24th, at the advanced age of 79 years and 3 months.

Army and Navy officers make their head quarters at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia. So do leading business men from sections, while for families and large parties of travellers it also offers unequalled attractions.

Struck by Lightning.—During the storm on Tuesday afternoon, the barns on the farm of Mr. Hudson, in the Township of Richmond were struck by lightning and consumed; no insurance.

Marine.—The scow "Pearl" with lumber for Oswego, passed down yesterday. The barge "Norman" has passed up to Trenton The yacht "Dauntless" is being fitted up for the season.

Convictions.—The return of convictions for the County of Prince Edward, issued in March, shows 32 cases, 20 of which were for violating the Temperance Act of 1864 and selling liquor without license.

Journalistic.—We are pleased to learn that Col. Goodrich, formerly of the Oswego "Times," has recovered his health and has again entered upon editorial life. He is now attached to the Syracuse "Evening Herald."

Spring Sounds.—The mason's trowl and carpenter's hammer make agreeable music from every quarter of the town. Building operations have opened briskly but "hard times" are felt in this as well as in other branches of industry.

Dunkin.—The Dunkin Act goes into force in the Counties of Frontenac and Lennox and Addington on Tuesday next, 1st of May. Five-gallon kegs are in great demand in these counties, as the people are desirous of laying away a supply before the Act goes into effect.

Just So.—In a paragraph in the Napanee 'Express,' on yachting, the following appears: —"In Oswego during the past winter, one steam and four sailing yachts, have been built, all finely modelled, and calculated to leave us far to windward unless we look to our laurels." That pleases us as it is just the position we want to be in.

Breadstuffs.—The present high price of breadstuffs is the general topic of conversation, and with those who have many mouths to feed it is an interesting one, too. It is not probable that present prices will be retained. The outbreak of war has created "corners" for speculation purposes.

Wrong.—The report that a vein of coal was discovered a short distance north of Napanee is pronounced untrue, A substance was found that resembled coal, but competent judges declared its composition was mineral, and not vegetable, as coal is. It is now in order to find another gold mine or two and some more indications of coal oil.

Oddfellowship.—The Oddfellows met at their hall this afternoon and headed by the Belleville Brass Band, proceeded to St Andrew's Church, where a sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. McLean. A grand concert under the auspices of the Order takes place to-night in the Opera House. As the programme is a good one there should be a large house.

Kingston Items.—The Street Railway is expected to be completed by the 10th of next month.—Mr. B. M. Britton is going to erect a hotel on Princess street, and has awarded the tenders for the construction of the building.—Rev. D. J. McDonnell lectured on Tuesday evening to a fair house.—The Mendelssohn Quintette Club will concertize in the City Hall on the evening of the 24th prox.

Not True.—It is not true that Kingston policemen are a cowardly lot of men. We have it on good authority that three of them can arrest a man if he is drunk enough. Now! Let them alone.—The Belleville *Ontario* passed some uncomplimentary remarks in regard to "Ottawa Snobs." Now, it had better just leave them alone—they don't hurt anybody, while they furnish amusement to a large portion of the community.—*Free Press.*

Jerked Overboard.—As the yacht Peerless was leaving the harbor for a run on the bay, yesterday afternoon, an incident occurred which was not set down on the programme. The yacht was moving along under the jib alone and the mainsail was being hoisted, when the wind filled it and carried it to leeward and along with it one of the crew. The boat was put about with all possible despatch and the victim of the accident being able to swim, he was therefore able to keep himself afloat till assistance reached him. A cold bath such as the above will be better appreciated later in the season.

Yachts.—Cuthbert launched a new steam yacht at Cobourg on Monday. Mr. Bell's new yacht will be set in her native element early next week. The "Surprise" and "Katie Gray" will be set afloat on Saturday and the "Resolute" next week. The Port Hope "Guide" says:—The new yacht just built by Mr. J. R. Billingsley for Charles Smith, Esq., was safely deposited in her native element on Monday last at 3 o'clock p. m. A large crowd of ladies and gentlemen assembled to witness the launch. The "Irene" is a beautiful model—far ahead of anything of the kind ever built in Port Hope. She registers thirteen tons burden; is 41 feet keel; 47 over all; 37½ feet beam, 5 ft. hold and cost $1,500. She is a credit to her builder, and no doubt Mr. Billingsley justly feels proud of his work."

Another Treat.—A few days ago we informed our readers, that the children attending the Station School had been entertained by Mr. A. Davis, Mechanical Supt. of the G. T. R. Shops at this place, who gave them an instructive and excellent account of his trip to Europe. After a vote of thanks had been tendered him, Mr. D in the course of his response said that he had made arrangements with Dr. Palmer, Principal of the Deaf and Dumb Institute, whereby a magic lantern exhibition would shortly be given by that gentleman. Last evening, at the school house, the children together with a large number of parents and others enjoyed the promised treat. The views shown by Dr. Palmer, together with the lucid explanations which he gave will be long remembered by those present. There were upwards of one hundred slides, notably among which were "The Pilgrim's Progress," scenes from England and America etc., these received the usual amount of interest, while the large number of comic pictures convulsed the little ones with laughter. In justice to Dr. Palmer we must congratulate him on having such a fine and suitable collection of views. The school room was literally crowded to excess there being no standing room. All went away feeling that they owed a debt of gratitude to the Dr. for his kindness; and also, to Mr. Davis who manifests such a deep interest in the school, and in the children's progress and enjoyment. After votes of thanks had been tendered to those gentlemen, and suitably responded to the entertainment came to a close. We understand Dr. Palmer will shortly renew the treat with some new views which he is getting, due notice of which will be given.

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Thursday, April 26.

FURIOUS DRIVING.

Geo. Crysdale and Geo. Soby were charged with driving furiously through the streets. The former was fined $4.00 and costs, and the case against the latter was laid over till Saturday for further evidence.

FORESTALLING.

Delos Watkins and Charles Hose were each fined $4 00 and costs for this offence.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—Mr. Cartwright's resolution to compel the Northern Railway to refund its presents to Sir John Macdonald and its subscriptions to Tory politicians and election funds, will meet with universal approval.

—Seeing that the picnic patriots failed to repeat their charges against the Government on the floor of the House this session, Mr. Mackenzie has announced his intention of asking for a special committee next session to investigate the accusations.

—Mr. Masson (Tory) tried to eclipse Dr. Tupper on Monday, but had to give it up after speaking for four hours. It is rumored that this rivalry is the result of a promise made by Sir John that he will give one of his old hats to the Tory M. P. who makes the longest speech. Mr. Plumb and Dr. Orton have to be heard from yet, and it is thought each of them hopes to hold out for nine or ten hours. They both practice at a lungester every day.

—Mr. Sifton, one of the Pacific Railway contractors, writes that he is prepared to take on two hundred laborers immediately on the opening of navigation, paying them $1 75 a day and charging them $1.50 per week for their board. He also states that there will be plenty of work for all who come to Prince Arthur's Landing on the opening of navigation.

PRANKS OF A PRINCE

A funny story is told of the second son of the Prince of Wales, Prince George Frederic. He is a merry little fellow, fond of tricks, and no more awed by the majesty of his Sovereign than most lads are of their grandmother. He was even less amenable to discipline a few years ago than he is now, and on one occasion, when staying with Queen at Windsor, played her a pretty prank. She had a solemn dinner, at which a Grand Duke, Mr. Gladstone, and Dean Stanley assisted. At dessert the children were sent for. When they came in Prince George was riotous. Grandmamma reproved him. He went on heedlessly. Grand mamma was agained obliged to interfere. At last the youngster became very obstreperous, and he had to be sent under the table—a favorite mode of punishment, it is said, with her Majesty—whence he was not to emerge until he had confessed his sin and promised amendment. He was very quiet, to everybody's surprise; but when challenged, assured his imperturbable grandmamma that he was not yet quite good, but would be soon. At last he was satisfied with his own condition, and, to the amusement of the guests, emerged as naked as he was born, when, after a smart chase, he was removed by the servants.—*Scottish American.*

BRITISH CELEBRATION IN VIRGINIA.

On the coming 24th of May, the anniversary of our beloved Queen, the members of the North American St. George's Union purpose holding their annual international celebration at Petersburgh, Va. Invitations to be present and participate in the festivities have been sent to all the British Societies in the United States and Canada. The celebration will be under the patronage of Lord Dufferin, Sir Edward Thornton, the Governor of the State of Virginia, the Mayor of Petersburg and others. The following extracts from the circular that has been received by the British Societies will express the sentiments of the promoters:—

"Following the Centennial year, in the glories of which Great Britain and her colonies took so conspicuous a part, the International British celebration will furnish another and exceptionally appropriate opportunity for the manifestation of the glorious brotherhood existing among English speaking nations.

"We ask the members of British Societies in the United States and Canada to unite in honoring the birthday of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and in adding one more link to the golden chain of affection which binds together the citizens of the United States and the British people.

"At all the British celebrations, the presence of the ladies has appropriately graced the proceedings in honor of the first lady in Christendom. Ladies are therefore especially invited to the International celebration."

BY TELEGRAPH.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

An Engagement Imminent.

AUSTRIA WILL OCCUPY BOSNIA.

THE TURKS CROSS THE DANUBE.

Operations in Asiatic Turkey.

British Officers to Join their Regiments.

RUSSIANS OCCUPY GALATZ AND IBRAILA.

London, April 25.—A Bucharest correspondent says a telegram from the Austrian Consul announces that 12,000 Russians have occupied Galatz and Ibraila and secured an important railway bridge. The Turks are throwing up vast earthworks at Rustchuk. There are two lines of defence, and one entrenched camp before the town.

A Constantinople despatch reports that five Turkish iron clads are in the Danube.

A slight engagement is reported in Armenia.

A Vienna correspondent says a fight is imminent near Barboschi. for the Railroad bridge over the river Sereth. The Turks unaccountably missed the opportunity of forestalling the Russians in seizing the bridge, and the Russians are now prepared to defend it.

Three Turkish gunboats have entered the river to destroy the bridge.

The Russians will continue to cross the Pruth by four pontoon bridges for the next few days.

The opinion in military circles at Vienna is that Austria will occupy Bosnia in the second week in May with two divisions of her army.

It is stated that the Turks crossed the Danube to-day at several points and sent out flying corps to destroy the railways before the advance of the Russians.

The Czar has sent the Emperor of Austria an autograph letter repeating his assurances that Russia wishes no anexation.

It is announced from Tiflis that the Russian Caucasian army commenced operations to-day by marching in two columns toward Erzeroum and Batoum.

The *Post* publishes the following:—"We hear that British officers on leave of absence have been requested to rejoin their regiments.

St. Petersburg, April 26.—An Imperial order was promulgated to-day declaring Bessarbia the littoral district of Kherson, and the Provinces of Taurida and Crimea in a state of siege.

Bucharest, April 26.—Yesterday 15,000 Russians occupied the railway bridge at Barbaschi. Up to yesterday evening over 50,000 Russians had entered Roumania. The Turks up to that time remained perfectly passive on the banks of the Danube. The Roumanian army has retired from the Danube into the interior, where it is divided into two bodies, one at Bucharest, and the other at Krajova. The inhabitants on both banks of the Danube are fleeing into the interior of Roumania.

Two British gunboats have entered the Danube. One is anchored of Galatz.

So far not a shot has been fired. The Turks are leaving Widdin in great haste in the direction of Dobrudscha, where they appear to expect the principal Russian attack.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

SNOW BOUND.

DEATH BEFORE DISHONOUR!

THE FISHERY COMMISSION.

The Price of Wheat.

ACCIDENTAL POISONING

THE RUSSIANS ON THE MOVE.

Prince Charles' Speech.

Omaha, Neb., April 26.—The Union Pacific train due here yesterday p. m., was snow bound at Granite Canon.

Cincinnati, April 26.—Sallie and Mary Dill, who were found dying at a hotel yesterday, proved to be mother and daughter from a Quaker settlement at Whitewater. The daughter was ambitious for city life. Her mother finally came on with her and finding starvation or shame the only alternative, she properly poisoned her daughter and herself.

Washington, April 26.—The *World* says:—From Sep. '76 to April 50,000,000 bushels of American wheat were placed in England against 62,000,000 for the corresponding period of the previous year. Importations of Great Britain for same date from other sources was 24,000,000, against 34,000,000 in the previous year. This shows a large deficit in England.

The *Sun* says:—The Commission on the settlement of fishing claims, under the Treaty of Washington, will organize at Halifax in July. The question is really between the U. S. and the Dominion, the Imperial Government having transferred its fishery rights to the Dominion.

New York, April 26.—The price of wheat has advanced between 10 and 15 per cent, and it is said wheat is cheaper in Europe now than here. Some morning papers repeat a rumor that the rise in coal yesterday was not genuine, and assert that subsequent private sales were at last month's prices.

Wm. Brooks, of Williamsburg, died from taking an overdose of arsenic which he had habitually used to counteract the effects of liquor.

London, April 26.—Prince Charles heads an army of 30,000, and has crossed the frontier near Batoum.

Bucharest, April 26.—The Roumanian Chambers opened their session to-day. Prince Charles, addressing the Deputies, said:—The Powers having declined to guarantee neutrality on Roumanian territory or assist her, Roumania must rely on herself to prevent her territory being made the seat of war.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

ROUMANIA TO DECLARE WAR AGAINST TURKEY.

The Imperial Manifesto.

PROGRESS OF THE RUSSIANS.

TURKEY'S REPLY TO THE MANIFESTO

AN ENGLISH FLEET FOR THE BOSPHORUS.

St. Petersburg, April 26.—The Imperial manifesto was read in all the churches of the Empire. It was enthusiastically received.

London, April 26.—A telegram from Bucharest reports that not a shot was fired up to 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The greater part of the Russian troops are moving in the direction of Bolgrad to apparently secure a passage through Dobrudscha which, it is stated is expected to be the object of principal attack. It is thought doubtful that the Turks will be able to arrive in time to prevent the passage of the Russian army.

Part of the English fleet have been ordered to the Bosphorus and a fleet held in readiness for reserve.

Turkey's reply to the Russian manifesto, after quoting the 8th article of the Treaty of Paris, says:—Although it is not the Ottoman Government which threatens and takes the initiative of aggression; and although consequently it was by rights the part of Russia to appeal to these stipulations of the treaty, the Imperial Government, in order to avoid all misunderstanding, applies to the signatory powers to use their good offices in the grave circumstances in which it is placed, by applying the article before mentioned, and thus putting an end to the dangerous tension affecting relations of the two states. The Porte expresses the conviction that the friendly powers, true to the feeling of benevolent interest which they have never ceased to manifest to the Ottoman Empire, will seize this opportunity to arrest the out-break of a great war, thus sparing those countries the painful extremities with which they are threatened, and Europe herself trouble and danger resulting from a conflict between two states, a conflict for which the Sublime Porte can justly repudiate entire responsibility.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, April 26.

Greenbacks buying at	92½
" selling at	94
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	87½

Gold opened at 107¼; closed at 107¾.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, April 25.

Flour—Receipts 3,943 barrels. Sales, 1,500 barrels. Market active excited 10 to 20 higher, Sales, 100 strong bakers at 8,60; 300 do at 8 50; 100 at 8.65; 200 do at 8 50; 100 extra at 8.77½; 200 spring extra at 8.00; 100 do at 8.25; 200 fine at 7,35; 100 patent at 10.00; 100 Ontario bags at 4.00; 200 city bags at 4.20.

Grain and provisions unchanged.

Ashe—Pots easier firsts 4,15 to 4.20.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 26, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 18,000. Shipments none. Market active and excited 15 to 20c, higher; light grades selling at 5.50 to 5.60, heavy packing at 5.50 to 5.80; choice shipping at 5.60 to 6 00.

After war, pestilence and intemperance—colds lead to the greatest destruction of human life, mainly because it is considered by many to be of no consequence, and hence systematically neglected, until a simple, curable disease, is converted into a fatal pulmonary one. Every one troubled with what is called a slight cold or cough, should immediately use "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers." They allay irritation at once, and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

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Belleville, April 26th, 1877.

NOTE LOST.

A NOTE given by William French to William S. Chord, dated May 2nd, 1876, due one year from date. Payment of said note has been stopped.

WILLIAM S. CHORD

Stirling, April 21, 1877. 3 i

A SENSE OF WEARINESS

is often felt by persons who cannot locate any particular disease. If they work it becomes labor; if they walk, they soon tire; mental efforts become a burden, and even joys are dimmed by the shadow of this weakness which is cast over their lives. Recourse is had sometimes to stimulants of a dangerous character. The advice of physicians to refrain from active labor produces no happy results. Why? The system is debilitated and needs to be built up properly. Peruvian Syrup will do this very thing. Like the electric current, it permeates the entire system, and harmonizing with the corporeal functions, it rises up the enfeebled, and brings the color to the cheek again, and hope to the despondent. It does its work promptly and well. Sold by all druggists.

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ROOT CULTURE.

Generally speaking, you may estimate a man's farming, both as to methods and results, by the reply to the question, does he grow turnips? If he does, he must have stock to eat them, and if he feeds a large number of animals he will have considerable manure wherewith to enrich the farm. As you travel through the country, you cannot fail to note that root cellars and the general signs of thrift go hand in hand together. The great want of our farming is manure, and this is an article that, in the majority of cases, must be manufactured on the farm. In the neighborhood of towns and villages manure may be purchased, but it is costly both as regards time and money; time spent in hauling and money paid per load. It is altogether preferable to make the manure in one's own barnyard by keeping all the stock that can be well maintained. The fertility of the land should be maintained underany circumstances. Farming is really profitable only to the extent to which there is gain secured over and above the cost of preserving the strength and productiveness of the soil. Any other method of securing apparent profit is delusive. It is drawing on capital; it is disposing of a modicum of the farm itself; it is slowly but surely killing the goose that lays the golden egg. By all means let large root crops be raised, and plenty of stock kept to consume them and transmute them into manure.

KEEPING IN.

Many think that, if a teacher takes one or two classes out of school hours, or if she stays around the school house till six o'clock applying the mental goad to some unfortunate urchin who would better be playing marbles, or chopping down cherry trees, she must feel an extraordinary interest in her work. What if she does come to school the next morning with those round shoulders rounder than before, those weak eyes weaker than ever, a sallow complexion, and a querulous, fault-finding temper! Her interest in her work is immense! Four o'clock comes, and, awed by the interested one's baleful example, another teacher, whose whole soul is wild with longing for a glimpse of green fields and a breath of God's pure air, thinks sadly to herself, "I must not leave; it will be thought I am not interested in my work." So she resolutely turns her back upon these pleasant things, and finally goes slowly home, at supper time, weary and dispirited.

A good teacher should be physically as well as mentally and morally excellent. She has no more right to be round shouldered than she has to be ill tempered—no more right to ignore the principles of hygiene than the principles of grammar. After being in a school room from half-past eight until four, it is as much her duty to refresh her body with pure air and exercise, as it is to eat her supper. She is defrauding her scholars by giving them part of her power, when she should give them all. Let us make it our pleasure, as well as our duty, to greet our scholars each morning with a bright face and an earnest heart—with a healthy mind in a healthy body.—*A. M. Whicher, in N. E. Journal of Education.*

MAKING MONEY AT FARMING.

Every cultivator wants to know primarily how to make money. He follows his calling as a merchant pursues business. It is not merely that he farms to live and be comfortable. He wants to do all that, but he would like to make a "pile," as people in other walks of life try to do.

Every now and then the newspapers try to tell him how to get rich; and it is generally by planting this or that, by trying "upland rice," or some such article now sure to be in demand; and, above all, "advertise in our columns." Or, perhaps he will be told to go here, or settle there, where land is cheap and no manure needed, or where in some way there is to some especial advantage which no other man but himself, or at least few other men are to possess.

We have been struck with a passage in one of the obituary notices of Vanderbilt, with which the papers of late have been so profuse. He died worth, it is said over fifty millions. When asked how he brought this all about, he replied, "by having a business you like, trying to understand it, and then sticking to it and to no other." People thought he was a speculator, but he was not. Whatever he bought or sold had an immediate relation to the exact business he had in hand. He despised speculations; and it is well to let our farmers' boys, who think it is so easy to get a living by city speculations, know this. He loved his business and labored at it, but it was not until half his life had passed away that he was worth $20,000. It was not till comparatively old age that he became rich. Had Vanderbilt died at fifty, as many do, his obituaries would have been very short and commonplace. Time was quite as favorable to his great fortune as any other element that entered into it. Still as he tells us, the foundation was in sticking to his business; and this is just the lesson we are always trying to teach.

There is not a farmer in this wide land, if he had a genuine love for his business, a determination to stick to it through thick and thin, and with good saving habits and ordinary business prudence, but may in time become rich. It needs no outside speculations, no ventures on new patents or new plants. He need not go from this part of the world to another. He should of course use some little discrimination at first choosing healthy locations, fair markets, good neighbors, intelligent society, and so on. But having once made up your mind where to locate, stick to it. There is no more certain way to make money in the wide world than at farming.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

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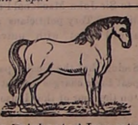

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CONTESTED SCHOOL ELECTION.

SHEEHAN vs. MURPHY.

(Continued from yesterday.

The immorality was not mentioned at at that time; do not know whether I remained until all was over or not; think I was there during the whole of it; never heard this matter discussed in church before; the Priest takes an active part in the conduct of school; we expect the Priest to exercise the supervision of schools and what is taught as long as he does it in a proper way; they are expected to see to conduct of teachers and what is taught in schools; in 1876 Father Murphy ran against M. J. Granger; do not remember anything being said in any previous year; do not know whether I was in church or not; this is the first year I have heard Father Farrelly talk violently on school elections; I do not know whether it is the practice of Father Farrelly or was the practice of Father Brennan before him to advise or direct as to whom they should vote for; I think I told Northgraves Fox wanted him to go down and take his place so that he could go and vote.

Re-examined.—Mr. Farrelly referred to Mr. Kelly several times; when Mr. Kelly rose in his seat to reply, several rushed at him crying "put him out;" it caused considerable trouble in church; ladies fainted; It is not usual for Priests to act as the Priest did on this occasion; A person came to me; saying a voter would not be allowed to vote for Sheehan; I started to go to the Poll; met Mr. Lynch on the hill and asked him to go back and vote; He said he would not; if he did there would be murder; he would not go back; if he had gone back he would have gone in; I cannot tell whether Father Farrelly was annoyed at being compared to Father Chiniquy; no attempt was made to put me out; I consider the feelings of the congregation were excited by Father Farrelly's harangue; people were excited against Kelley; were annoyed at Kelley; did not say "put him out" when Father Farrelly said Kelly had compared him to Father Chiniquy: it was that and other things which had gone on for three quarters of an hour; it would have annoyed me to compare me to Father Chiniquy; the harangue was against all the Board; Father Farrelly did not like the teachers the Board had employed; do not think it was for comparing Father Farrelly to Father Chiniquy, but because the present Board had discharged teachers when they went in, and hired others, that Father Farrelly was not satisfied with them; we had dismissed what we considered incompetent teachers; Father Farrelly objected to it.

William Lynch, sworn—I reside in Belleville; am a supporter of the R. C. Separate School in town; I vote in Samson Ward; went there to vote; met Mr. Kelly on the road; had my own team; Sheehan had spoken to me some two or three weeks previously; he asked me to vote for him; said I would; drove there between 1 and 2 o'clock; was there twice that day; it was on the first occasion I saw Father Farrelly, Sheehan and others; did not see Murphy when I first went there; met Farrelly on the sidewalk, and shook hands with him; he asked me if I would vote for him; thought he meant for Murphy; I said I could not, as I had promised to vote for Sheehan; Farrelly stepped inside, near the door; Sheehan said, "Come on and vote for me: you promised to"; a number of parties were outside; seemed to be friends of Murphy; Farrelly stood outside the gate in a narrow passage; the way was blocked; Sheehan took me by the hand and said, "Come on and vote"; I replied that I could not get in there for the crowd; Father Murphy came out then and asked me to vote for him; I asked him if he was running, and he said he was—that his name was Rev. Father Murphy; I replied I did not wan't to vote against him, but I wanted to vote for the man I had promised, Sheehan; he asked me if at that time I promised Sheehan I knew who was coming out against him; I said no, and I did not; he said if I voted against Sheehan then I would not be breaking my promise; I did not know hardly what to think of it; I still wanted to vote for him, and would if I had gone in as I promised him; he wanted me to go away; he said he would thank me just as much if I did not vote against him as if I had voted for him; Sleigh was about 40 feet away; a letter was read by Father Murphy purporting to be from the Archbishop of Toronto; letter was handed by Farrelly to Murphy; Farrelly asked who I would send for if I was sick, him or Sheehan; I said for him; I think I was then going in; I would have gone in if I could; Farrelly asked me if I was a priest hunter; I said no sir; he said if I voted for Sheehan I would vote for one; I did not reply; I said I was either in hot water or bad bread and I would go away; nothing said about rites of the Church if I did; I did not go in and vote; I went away; I wanted to vote still for the man I had promised; Murphy's friends were in yard between house and fence; crowd did not want me to go in to vote for Sheehan; I made my mind up to come back again and vote for Sheehan if I could get in; when going away on the hill I met James Cummings and others in a cutter; I heard that what he stated that occurred is correct; I went to the poll when I came back, about half-past four p.m.; as I was going down the hill I met Costello; he asked me to vote for Murphy; I said I did not want to vote against Murphy, but I wanted to vote for Sheehan, the man I had promised; I drove on in front of the house; saw some supporters of Murphy; some one said drive on; I said it is a free country; 5 or 6 were there; I did not go in; I had heard up town that Sheehan was behind; I would not go in and vote; they did not want me to go in unless I would vote for Murphy; I do not say there would have been a row if I had gone in; if I had gone back from the hill there would have been a row; on the first occasion I feared there would have been a disturbance if I crowded in; on the last occasion as well I feared a disturbance if I crowded in; no man said I should not go in; I did not get liberty to vote as I wanted to; had no other reason than those I have given why I did not vote for Sheehan; I was afraid it might cause hard feelings if I crowded myself in.

Cross-examined—No threats were made, or attempts to hurt me; what was said was not said in an angry manner; they wanted me to vote for Father Murphy, but no one said that if I did not they would hurt me; they used persuasion, not threats; I thought if I went back with Cummings the crowd would have shoved me in, and then there would have been a fight; do not think anyone would have abused me if I had gone back alone; Sheehan did not use harsh words; did not hear Sheehan say to anyone: "Get out of the way and let this man in"; Sheehan did not say any man would touch me if I went in to vote; before I got back in the afternoon I had heard Sheehan was behind, and did not go in; the first time I did not push any one aside to try and get in; no one attempted to hinder me; only two in the crowd seemed to be Sheehan's friends; I said to Costello I did not like to vote against Murphy, but I wanted to vote for Sheehan; I intended to vote for Sheehan; do not remember Farrelly saying to me go in and vote; he might have said so; I thought if I had voted against Murphy he would have had hard feelings; I had nothing against Murphy; if he had asked me first I would have voted for him; I lived in 1876 in Foster Ward; I went there in Nov. 1875; I left Samson Ward in Nov. 1875; was assessed in Foster Ward in 1876; was not assessed in Samson Ward for 1876; I think I have been asked for taxes for 1876; was asked for it some time last fall; I have not paid school taxes for 1876; paid 1875 taxes sometime last summer; think I was asked for Foster Ward taxes for 1876 which I did not pay; nothing said on that in the way of threatening bodily violence or spiritual censure; I told Father Murphy in his own house that I went there intending to vote for him, but I did not mean what I said when I told Sheehan I would vote for him; when I made affidavit I did not suppose this case would go as far as it has; I was urged by both sides to vote; I got bothered and went away without voting for either; I was told when I made affidavit that it would not go any further.

Re-examined,—I went away feeling bad, as I could not be allowed to vote for the man I had promised; I did not want to give evidence against any of the parties, Father Murphy or any one else; I would give evidence against Murphy as soon as any one else if obliged to; I think it is a dirty scrape; did not try to vote a second time; I calculated to vote for Sheehan, but thought I would not go in and be drove away; did not leave my sleigh second time; paid taxes within 12 months; I could have taken the oath if I had gone in to vote.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 27.

THE Premier's Indemnity Bill passed the House this morning on a vote of 97 to 45. The Opposition voted "nay" as a political move.

EX-MAYOR FEATHERSTONE has been chosen as the Reform candidate to oppose Mr. Currier in Ottawa. He is a strong man and will make a good run, but we somewhat doubt whether he is able to defeat the Conservative nominee. We hope he may.

SIR JOHN is reported to have said at his Ottawa banquet: "They (Mr. Mackenzie and his colleagues) draw the salary; we (the Tories) govern the country." Sir John probably had reference to the Secret Service money. He could not have spoken in a general sense, for all the Tory journals unite in the opinion that Canada is being ruined on account of the manner in which it is being governed.

THE rumor gains credence that, should the report of the Privileges and Election Committee be unfavorable to Mr. Anglin, the Speakership will be offered to Hon. L. H. Holton, In case such a result is reached by the Committee, we would be much pleased to see Mr. Holton nominated for the vacancy. He is, without one single exception, the best Parliamentary authority in the House, and would fill the Speaker's Chair with general acceptance.

LOOK TO THE ROLLS.

Only two days more in which to examine the voters' lists and ascertain whether all who are entitled to the franchise have their names properly enrolled. If omissions are found, all that is necessary up to the 30th inst. is for the person or persons so omitted to notify the assessors, and ask that their names be at once inserted. Such requests must be attended to without delay. By adopting this plan the necessity for making application to the Court of Revision or County Judge, and the time and trouble such a course entails, are obviated. Those entitled to vote under the provisions of the Farmers' Sons' Franchise Act and Income Franchise Act are especially interested in giving due attention to the securement of their rights in this respect.

SQUELCHED.

A few days ago Dr. Tupper, when discussing the contract for transporting iron rails to Manitoba, charged Mr. D. A. Smith with being a shareholder in the Kittson Forwarding Co., to whom the contract was awarded. He represented that his information was well founded, and that a one-third share of the money received by the Messrs. Kittson was paid to Mr. Smith. Of course this was a sweet morsel for the Tory maw, and the rumination that followed was duly relished while it lasted. But Mr. Smith, who was absent from the House at the time the charge was made, took the first opportunity to deny the statement *in toto*, and challenged the Dr. for proof. As no proof could be given, and the accused forced a retraction or the consequences, the doughty member for Cumberland had no other choice than to apologize, which he did with the best grace possible.

"MR. BOWELL AMONG THE PHILISTINES."

We have pointed out some of the peculiarities that distinguish the member for North Hastings, and which have been prominently exhibited during the present session. No other member of the House has permitted partisan prejudices to carry him further in the advocacy of what must appeal to his better judgment as not only grossly inconsistent with former professions but disgraceful to any man claiming public honor. The following letter, addressed to the editor of the Port Hope *Guide*, only expresses the opinion of many Orangemen, who will speak so that Mr. Bowell and others of like ilk will hear and understand, when the proper time comes:—

"SIR,—I observe that Mr. Mackenzie Bowell, M.P., and Grand Master of the Orangemen of Ontario, on Monday night last attended the dinner given to Hon. H. Langevin, of Ultramontane and $32,000 Pacific Scandal fame. In order to properly understand the significance of this act one has to remember that in the past no one has lifted up his voice louder than has Mr. Bowell in attacking the Roman Catholics of Quebec, and especially of the Ultramontane section of that body, for its members believe that the Church is above the State, and that the Civil power should have no other purpose than to make the rule of the priests supreme and unquestioned. It is not so very long ago that Hon. Mr. Holton attacked Hon. Mr. Huntingdon for making a Protestant and manly speech in Argenteuil, and that among those who were loudest in their accusations was Mr. Bowell, who severely censured Mr. Huntingdon for writing an apologetic letter to Mr. Power, M. P. for Halifax. On that occasion the member for North Hastings did not scruple to abuse Ultramontanes and attack the Roman Catholics in a body, but what do we find him now doing? Why, nothing else than dining and wining with Mr. Langevin, who is a worshipper of the priests, who is a devoted son of the Church, who has for a brother the most furious Ultramontane bishop in Lower Canada—a dignitary who recently issued a pastoral condemning the Supreme Court of Canada and who endeavored to frighten the Catholic judges on that Bench from doing their plain duty. This is the man with whom Mr. Bowell sits cheek by jowl, and whom he congratulates for having gained his elections by appealing to an influence of the most improper and wicked character. For my part I have done with Mr. Bowell or any of our friends who follow him in what appears to me as the most glaring hypocrisy.

"Yours faithfully,
"A DISGUSTED ORANGEMAN."
Port Hope, April 18th, 1877.

Editorial Notes.

AN attempt has been made to burn the Methodist Church at Seaton village.

KINCARDINE has had a disastrous fire. The loss amounts to nearly $20,000.

MRS. CRYSLER, wife of James Crysler, near Hagersville, dropped dead while on her way home from a visit.

THIS is from the London *Tiser*: "A little fermentation of the (y)East has caused bread to rise considerably."

JENKINS, the negro, who was struck on the head by one Bell, at Weston, on Wednesday, is still alive.

LARGE numbers of fish have been killed in the Don river by some fusil oil let in from Gooderham & Wartt's distillery.

THE usual half yearly meeting of the Great Western Railway, held in London yesterday, passed off very satisfactorily.

POTATOES are sharing in the general rise of produce, and are largely in demand at rapidly advancing prices.

"FARMER BROWN," the notorious gambler, has commenced operations in Manitoba. Immigrants are advised to give him a wide berth.

SOME super-loyal person writes to the Ottawa *Free Press* in favor of conferring the title of Empress of Canada on the Queen.

THE Dominion Government have appointed an agent at Duluth, whose duties will be to look after the comfort of immigrants to Manitoba.

WEDNESDAY afternoon a Gananoque sawyer named Alex. Bearman accidentally fell on a large circular saw, severing one arm and his thigh close to his body. He died in fifteen minutes.

A PARTY of young men attempted to charivari a newly-married couple at Chapeau, on the Upper Ottawa, when one of the number, named C. P. Gray, was shot in the breast and died almost instantly.

THE reduction of the dividend of the Bank of Toronto to four per cent. for the current half-year caused sales of stock immediately after the announcement at 167½, and was subsequently offered at 160, without buyers.

THE barn and outbuildings on the farm of Joseph McMahon, on the London Road, four miles from Lucan, with all their contents, including five horses, were consumed by fire yesterday morning. Loss, $2,000. Insurance light. Origin of fire unknown.

CHANCERY SITTINGS.

(Before HON. CHANCELLOR SPRAGGE.)

Badgley vs. Cook.—This was a Bill filed for damages. Decree for Pltff. without costs. Dougall & Clute for Pltff.; C. Moss, Fralick & Jellett for Deft.

Hayes vs. Cryderman.—In this case the Bill was filed for specific performance of an agreement, and the conveyance of lands and premises to complainant. A Decree was made embodying a compromise between the parties, with a reference to the Master to partition the lands and sell part thereof. Costs paid by the respective parties. C. Francis for Pltff.; C. R. W. Biggar and E. Fitzgerald, Q. C., for Deft.

Vermilyea vs. N. D. Insurance Co.—This was a Bill filed to recover the sum of one thousand dollars, the amount of an insurance policy effected on Pltff's. property, which was burned in the Town of Belleville. A decree was granted for the Pltff. for the full amount claimed and costs. Dougall & Clute for Pltff; no appearance for Deft.

Glass vs. Zwick.—This was a Bill to declare void and fraudulent a conveyance of land. E. Fitzgerald, Q. C. and J. Simpson for Plff. A. Diamond and Geo. O. Alcorp for Deft. The case is still at hearing.

NEW OTTAWAVES.

NO. VII.

These letters are *waves from the great Sea of Ottawa items* which every year ebbs and flows responsively to the wax and wane of its moon.

The Session——This session is now in its fourth quarter; the tide of items is ebbing, and we fear very much there is nothing left for us but some shining shells and pretty pebbles on the beach where our Ottawaves before have come in. We will pick up some of them and see what they are.—The Shining Shells are the bright and happy memories of Ottawa—*memories* to which distance can lend no enchantment unless it be joined to hopes of another sojourn such as this has been,—hopes which we pray may not owe their charm to *The Far Away* ——And the pretty pebbles, they shall be the people whom we have seen and known.—Some are dull and rough, yet firm and strong—some you can almost *see through* they are *so nearly transparent*—some are perfect and polished, almost as a gem, and *a few* are broken and imperfect; sad instances of how far man may fail to reach true manhood.

Look at that queer creature in the far corner of the gentlemen's gallery of the House of Commons,—*he is always there*, and always in the same seat,—the most intently observing, and most intently observed of any one of that motley throng.—What is he?, is the mysterious question looked or asked by every one who sees him.—What is he?—More like a gorilla than any man, and more like a man than any gorilla. Is he not The Wild Man of the Woods? and for the sake of science should he not be shot and stuffed, for he surely must be the best specimen yet found of the *long sought* Connecting Link.

We will continue our analogy:—below this rough pebble is *a polished one*—the representative of his native constituency and the representative of the only native Canadian peer. We refer to the oldest son of Lord Aylmer, whose grandfather, many years ago transferred the family estate to this country, and their descendents, now of the third generation, have thoroughly identified themselves with the interests of this Dominion.

For specimens of *transparent* pebbles we we must refer to those who *claim to be* gifted with a sort of second sight:-to the leading members on both sides of the House; and as they all reach the *same conclusion* we may quote it without fear of contradiction.—Their unanimous testimony is that, in *looking through each other*, they all see the same thing,—Desire for Power,—which being translated into "Parliamentary Language" is rendered as follows: (we quote) "It is very easy to *see through* the Political Twins—all they want is to return to the Clover Fields on this side of the House.—Reply, "And it is equally easy to *see through* the Political Twins opposite, that all they desire is to remain in those Clover Fields."

As we contemplate the Pretty Pebbles which *this Ottawave* has washed up for us we are reminded of some incidents concerning them, and so many events have lately been crowded into our local history that we hardly know which to choose in order best to please our Belleville readers; but marriages are always interesting, so we will begin by telling them that "Ottawa has recently throned in bliss (we are quoting) one of her *favorite* daughters, *that is*, has given her in marriage to her first love, —a *little incident*, in the way of an intervening marriage and widowhood having deferred the happy event for a year or two.

Apropos of marriage, a proposal is, of course, the first requisite and *in this connexion* we must not forget to relate how a most extraordinary petition has been laid before this parliament. It was in regard to the proverb "*man proposes*, but God disposes," and was presented by a large number of elderly ladies of the maiden persuasion, who depose that, after long years of *patient* waiting and *faithful investigation* they have been able to *prove* by *personal experience* that the first clause of this proverb is untrue, and pray that Parliament may order it to be altered so as to agree with the *facts of the case*.

The House will soon be prorogued, but the flames which have been kindled by its indirect influence will not so soon be extinguished, and *one "golden"* torch which has flickered nightly before the "Shrine of Beauty" intends to burn on with increasing brilliancy until it reaches the "Shrine of Hymen," where immortality will be conferred upon the flame and the vigil become unending.

Oh it is so cold to-day So!—bitterly, shiveringly cold!—

Dear little Robin,
Herald of Spring,
Swallow this cough drop
Poor little thing.

It is simply outrageous,—three weeks ago Winter had packed up his traps in the most ostentatious way, when in the very midst of our summer preparations comes a driving snow-storm; the ground is all white as we take the scattered remains of poor little trustful Spring and carry them into a friendly greenhouse where *blue glass* perhaps may lend one of the many animating rays we hear so much about lately, and give the stricken plants a chance to revive.

In the way of political news there has been a truce to this indiscriminate unseating business which had become a sort of mania and assumed such gigantic proportions that unless it had been stopped it threatened to dissolve the house and so save our leaders the trouble of proroguing it.

Astronomical Intelligence is sure to interest every one, especially when anything so startling as the following is announced "Professor Blank makes a specialty of comets—he has *bagged* another. Professors' Dash and Star have *corners* on asteroids, whereas Professor Brackett of Hub can get up a new asteroid at any time.

Ottawa, April 26th, 1877.

AN HON. SHYLOCK.

The Hamilton "Times" Ottawa correspondent gives the following:—

"A nice tit-bit of social news has come to the surface. During the Charlevoix contest a much-vaunting and then newly elected Ontario member and supporter of Sir John, in conversing with the wife of a member of the Cabinet and a leader of the fashionable "ton" here, made a bet with her of a dozen pairs of gloves that Mr. Langevin would be elected, she contending that Mr. Tremblay would be the successful candidate. He in time won the bet, and after waiting some days for the gloves and hearing nothing of them, went to a store in town, selected and purchased a dozen of handsome kids, and directed the clerk to send the bill to the lady. The account was duly sent to her, but she declined to pay it. It was then carried to the gallant member and he was asked to settle it. He refused, saying the lady owed him the gloves and it was her duty to pay for them. She was again presented with the bill and then said she would meet it, providing the member endorsed on the face the conditions of the bet and acknowledged that he had received the wager, as she had no evidence that he had. This he refused to do, and the matter yet remains unsettled. The hon. member now, doubtless, regrets that he took such a means of forcing a lady to meet a playful wager she had made. The rule is, so it is said, that when a gentleman loses a bet with a lady he must fully carry out its conditions, whereas, if she loses, she is allowed to make what payment, if any, she pleases. In this case the member should, under the closest reading of the rule, have been satisfied with one pair, and that pair from the lady herself."

INDEPENDENCE OF PARLIAMENT.

The Bill to amend the Independence of Parliament Act introduced by Mr. Mackenzie is simply a measure to protect against pecuniary penalties those members who, through ignorance, infringed upon the provisions of the law, or unintentionally brought themselves within the scope of its penal clauses. The bill will leave the question of qualification, therefore exclusively in the hands of the House. It does not pretend to make any one a member, who may by a breach of the law have ceased to be a member, but relieves him of those ruinous consequences which may ensue if he is sued for penalties after having unwittingly offended. The numerous cases which the late discussion has disclosed, of members who have at various times during the last ten years received money from the Government without in the slightest degree intending to break the laws, is sufficient reason, of course, for such action being taken as is contemplated.

M. E. CONFERENCE.

THIRTY FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION, HELD AT ST. THOMAS.

The Niagara Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church began its thirty fourth session in St. Thomas, on the 18th inst.

Bishop Carman, who presided, opened with an address, referring to the many blessings they had to be thankful for during the past year. The educational institutions had been blessed; the book concern and publishing interests are advancing; and the mission field enlarging. The educational interests were blessed of the Lord. Many young men were converted during the past year in Albert College, some to become laborers in the great work of the Gospel. The Treasurer is doing a good work. Several noble men of St. Thomas, inspired by liberal and patriotic motives, are greatly aiding the work. The site is now secure for the St. Thomas College, and plans are under inspection. The Missionary Secretaryship has ceased; the work must here-after be borne by the other officials. The Methodist ministry afford a good field for selfdenial, toil and faith in God. We want no dolls nor dandies here, but men will set in the bone, strong in nerve and tough in the muscle—men holy in hart, life and conversation. The point, pathos and power of the address cannot be transferred to paper. It was received with profound attention, and evidently made impressions upon the hearers.

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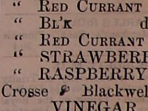

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No. Express, ...	6.50 a m
No. Express,..	6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ...	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,..	12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m.. and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 27.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Fishing.—The close season for pickerel, for this district begins on Tuesday next.

At Work.—Gilmour's saw mill at Trenton commenced running on Monday last. It employs a large number of men.

"Slap Bang."—This well known stallion was sold at auction in Toronto yesterday for $800.

Fire in Elzevir.—A house belonging to Wm. Jeff, in the 2nd Con. of Elzevir, was burned on Tuesday; insurance, $600.

Madoc—Building operations in the village of Madoc are at present quite brisk, work having already commenced on a number of new buildings.

Early in the Field.—Stephen Reed announces that he will be a candidate for the Local Legislature at the next election. It is fair to be inferred that he is out in time

Free Fair—A free fair will be held at the village of Madoc on the 8th of May. Parties who wish to dispose of their stock should make a note of this and attend.

The Cells—There were four tramps in the cells last night and four prisoners. Two of the latter were arrested for larceny and the other two for being drunk and disorderly.

Narrow Escape—Mr. E D. O'Flynn, of Madoc, was thrown from a load of shingles on Monday, falling on his head and shoulders. Though badly jarred, he escaped injury.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York maintains its famous reputation as a model first class house. Its reduction from $4.00 to 2.50 and $3 00 per day.

The Eastern Trouble.—In consequence of the Eastern war, flour has risen greatly in price and bakers have therefore been compelled to advance the price of bread. Holders of wheat and flour are the happiest men in the land.

Toronto & Ottawa Railway—Major Boulton visited Madoc on Wednesday, and addressed a meeting the same evening in the interest of the above named road. We understand that at the next session of the County Council a sectional bonus will again be asked on behalf of this project.

A Narrow Escape—As the Rev. Mr. Farrelly was returning from the Station the other night, in the new cab driven by the celebrated whip Old John, by some accident the rig upset breaking the cab badly. The friends of Father Farrelly will be glad to hear he escaped unhurt.

Army and Navy officers make their head quarters at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia. So do leading business men from sections, while for families and large parties of travellers it also offers unequalled attractions.

Messrs, DeMandeville & Co. have been instructed by Mrs. D. D. Bogart to sell by auction to-morrow afternoon, a handsome pair of Match Roan Carriage Horses, one fine Top Buggy, one Rockaway Carriage, and one sett of Double and Single Harness. The sale will take place at 230 Front St. at 2 o'clock.

Auction Sale of Household Furniture and Effects.—Messrs. DeMandeville & Co., instructed by Dr. Lister, will sell to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, the furniture and effects left in the premises on Front St., recently occupied by Mr. M. A. Weeks. No reserve.

Acknowledgment.—Dr. Bordett (on behalf of the Brotherhood of Oddfellows) begs to tender their thanks to those who lent their assistance to the success of last evening's entertainment, as well as to those who assisted it by their presence.

Lawlessness—Of late the lamps which are used for the purpose of lighting Trenton Bridge have been several times broken by rowdies. It is time that some effort was made to discover who the guilty parties are, as unless that is done, the breaking of these lights may continue and may be attended with serious results.

A Stranger.—Considerable excitement was caused in a drug store in Trenton on Wednesday morning by the finding of a large snake in a show window of one of the stores. How it came there is not generally known, but it is supposed that it was brought thither in a large sponge. It is now on exhibition in a bottle.

Social Hop.—At the conclusion of the entertainment in the Opera House last night, the Oddfellows adjourned to their lodge room and engaged in "a social" hop. Fenn Brothers furnished the music for the occasion. After the dance the party partook of a supper. The day was pleasantly spent by the brothers of the order and will be long remembered by all who took part in its celebration.

Mail Robberies.—Complaint has recently been made of extensive robberies from the mails sent from Belleville via Madoc to Manooth. A number of registered letters, either going to or coming from the offices on this line, having been opened and their contents abstracted. It is considered that a sum amounting to over $200 has been stolen Inspector Barker is now trying to solve the mystery.

—Two carters in Montreal, now undergoing trial before the Court of Queen's Bench, for outraging an innocent domestic outside the city limits last Fall, have pleaded guilty to the charge.

An International Match.—It having been deemed inadvisable to again challenge the Oswego sharpshooters for another match we would suggest a contest at cricket as a substitute. Belleville and Oswego have each a good club and we see no reason why a match could not be arranged. We trust the home club will take the necessary action in the premises.

Marine News—The steamer *Armenia* arrived from Picton yesterday on her first trip this season. She has been re-fitted re-painted and looks first-class. The schooner *Florence* arrived here yesterday from Oswego, light, and shortly after left for Trenton. The *Nellie P. Downey* arrived from Oswego yesterday, light, and is loading rye at Pretty's store house.

The Parade—The parade of the Oddfellows yesterday was a very important and interesting affair; the turn out being quite large and very respectable. All the brethren wore appropriate regalia. After an eloquent sermon by Rev. Mr. McLean at St. Andrews church, the procession re-formed and returned to the hall, a brass band which headed it playing along the line of march. After reaching the hall the parade dispersed.

The Mississippi—Trouble among the lumbermen who are operating on this river, has, we understand, broken out afresh, the contending parties being employed of Mr. Buck and Mr. McLaren. It to be hoped that a peaceful settlement of the existing differences will be arrived at and all trouble prevented. The consequence of the difficulties which took place two years ago should be still fresh in the minds of those who are now engaged in this affair and as neither party was benefitted to any great extent then; no reason exists why the "war" should be begun again. The free navigation of the Mississippi is desired by those who have business to transact in that section and whoever takes action to prevent its free navigation should be dealt with according to law.

The G. J. R.—The following interesting item is clipped from the Campbellford "Herald":—We are again assured of the early resumption of operations on the Grand Junction Railroad. Mr. Kelso, the President of the Road, was in the village, last week, and through him we learn that there is at present a brighter aspect of affairs in connection with the business of the Company. We see it stated, also, that some work has been recently accomplished, and that an engine will be placed upon the track to complete the construction of the line through to Peterborough by the 22nd of August. We hope these reports will prove themselves worthy of notice, for so many times have the public been "gulled" by erroneous statements, the sight of a train would convince the people of this section of the working of the road. All that can be said has been expressed by the Press and public everywhere interested in the road, and an anxious, patient and long-suffering people, now exclaim, "Push it along." —"Make a Big Push."

Larceny of Iron.—Some time since, a quantity of pig iron that had been used as ballast last year by the yacht *Surprise*, (and which had been stored in a shed in the rear of the premises formerly occupied by Mr. William Carter), mysteriously disappeared. The iron was taken out of the boat by Mr. Carter, who fortunately took the precaution of marking a few pieces of it with a blow. The loss of the property was reported to the police a few days ago, and Sergeant Snider was detailed to work up the case, and, if possible, arrest the guilty parties. After a patient search a part of the iron (including two of the marked pieces) was discovered in Walker & Co's. foundry, and identified as part of the missing property. Who the parties were who brought the iron there was not then generally known, but the officer above named after an investigation, procured a warrant and yesterday afternoon arrested Clarke Taylor and Angus Dominique and locked them up in the cells. The younger of the two prisoners (Dominique) states that he found a quantity of iron in his boat and that he sold it to Taylor who disposed of it to the foundry. Another lot which had been sold to some junk dealers, was repurchased by Taylor on Wednesday, for the purpose as he stated, of restoring it to Mr. Pope from whom it had been stolen. About fifty tons of iron were deposited on Mr. Pope's dock last fall, and now on examination it is found that a considerable quantity of it is missing; so also is a large "fall" that was used in hoisting coal out of vessels, and also some ropes belonging to the schooner *David Andrews*. As yet but little of Mr. Pope's iron has been found, but it is probable that some of it will yet be restored to it's owner. Great credit is due to Sergeant Snider for the clever part he has taken in this matter, and it is but just to him to say that his conduct in ferreting out this case is worthy of great praise.

THE I. O. O. F. CONCERT.

Last evening a large and enthusiastic audience attended the Opera House at a concert given under the auspices of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, on the occasion of the 58th Anniversary of Celebration day. The programme was a long and varied one and on the whole the entertainment was creditable to the Committee of Management, especially the Chairman Dr. Burdett. The concert commenced with an instrumental quartette by Mrs. Campbell, Dr. Crozier and the Messrs. Greaves, entitled "*Scotch Medley*" arranged by Dr. Crozier. It is unnecessary to speak in favor of this portion of the evening's entertainment as the playing and execution of the performers are at all times so favorably received by a Belleville audience. The same parties in the second part played a selection from *Trovatore* and the *Mounted Police Waltzes* by Dr. Crozier. Mr. Price sang "*Lorena*" and "*Hail England's Mother Queen*" Mr. S. A. Spangenburg sang a Dutch Song in character "*King Villiam's Muskedeers*" with great spirit and was encored. He also sang "*Leedle Yawcob Strauss.*" Mr. J. Wilson gave as a reading "*The League*" by Macaulay. Miss Downs sang "*Waiting*" and as an encore sang very sweetly "*The Meeting of the Waters*". Mr. Richard Costello sang with his usual good taste "*Let me like a Soldier fall,*" and as an encore his old favorite "*Good bye Sweetheart.*" Mr. Allan McFee gave as a recitation "*Shamus O'Brien*" in his usual happy style. Mr. Wensley sang "*The day when You'll forget me*" and a Comic Song "*Do be careful,*" in both of which he acquitted himself very creditably and was encored. Mr. J. A. Dawson gave as a recitation "*The Quaker and the Robber,*" and gave a vivid and faithful interpretation of it. Miss Ockerman who is a good musician and possessed of an excellent voice sang "*Once Again,*" and was deservedly encored. Mr. J. Lewis gave as a recitation "*Virginia,*" one of Macaulay's Lays of Ancient Rome. Mr. Lewis gave a faithful rendering of the stirring historical incidents alluded to. The piece was well received. The concert concluded with the National Anthem, and we have great pleasure in congratulating the I. O. O F. on the successful termination of their celebration.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Roumania Declares War Against Turkey.

English Fleet Ordered to the Bosphorus.

ENGAGEMENT ON THE ASIATIC FRONTIER

British Declaration of Neutrality Probable.

REPORTED RUSSIAN REPULSE.

THE STANDARD OF THE PROPHET TO RAISED.

London, April 26.—The first battle may be expected to take place at Tultsche, in Debrudocha, where an attempt of the Russians to cross the Danube may be looked for very shortly. It is feared that a Russian column has passed over the Danube near Gladowa.

A Belgrade despatch states that the Grand Vizier has notified Servia that a Turkish detachment will occupy Gladowa on account of the approach of the Russians from that side. Abdul Kerim telegraphed to the same effect to the Servian general who commands on the frontier. Servia has replied that she will resist by force of arms any attempt at the occupation of Gladowa.

A Madrid despatch says Spain will send an ironclad squadron to the Levant.

A Rome despatch reported great activity at Naples, where Italian men-of-war are being prepared for sea.

A Berlin despatch reports that Germany intends to put into commission several additional men-of-war.

The *Advertiser* understands that a declaration of neutrality will immediately be promulgated in the Queen's name forbidding British subjects from aiding either of the belligerents.

A despatch from Pera asserts that the Turkish fleet is bombarding Chefketei.

A Pera despatch says it is reported that the Turkish fleet, under command of Hobart Pasha, left on Tuesday night to take up a position before Odessa.

The telegraph wire at Ibraila has been cut by Cossacks, who are 3,000 or 4,000 strong there.

The following is the full text of the Sultan's proclamation to the army:—

"Russia has declared war. We are forced to take up arms. We have always wished peace, listening to the advice of the powers in this respect, but Russia wants to destroy our independence, and so if Russia attacks us, God, who protects right and justice, will grant us victory. Our soldiers will defend with their blood the country gained by their ancestors, and with the help of God maintain the independence of the Osmanli nation. He will protect the wives and children of the soldiers. Should it be necessary, the Sultan will go to the army and raise the standard of the Kalifat and the Sultanat. The Sultan is ready to sacrifice his life for the honor and independence of the country."

Part of the English fleet has been ordered to the Bosphorus, and a fleet is held in readiness for a reserve.

The *Globe* publishes a telegram received from Plymouth yesterday from the Controller of the Navy, ordering full particulars to be sent him of all ships in reserve at Davenport which could possibly be made ready for sea by June the first.

A despatch from Passani, Moldavia, dated Wednesday evening, says 15,000 Russians have passed through Ungheni, 10,000 through Leova and 35,000 through Bolgrad. These troops are to effect a junction at Galatz and Ibraila.

A special from Constantinople states that the Sultan in his proclamation to the troops declares that in case of need he will join the army with the Standard of the Prophet, and sacrifice his life for his people.

Constantinople, April 26. — Turkish troops are reported to have occupied Kalafat.

The Sultan has issued a proclamation to the officers and men of the fleet, especially recommending them to protect the Mussulman population of the Crimean and Caucasian coasts now groaning under the Russian yoke.

The Constantinople newspapers report that an engagement has taken place on the Asiatic frontier near Ardahan, and that the Russians were compelled to fall back. Fresh skirmishing occurred at Gumrio, in the vicinity of Kars, but no important engagement has yet been fought.

Safvet Pasha has addressed the following despatch to the Turkish Ambassador at London:—"The first engagement has just been fought at Tchuruksou, near Batoum. After some fighting, the enemy was defeated and put to route with the loss of 800."

It is expected that a state of siege will shortly be proclaimed in Constantinople.

This and That.

—The ship Lake Erie, from Glasgow, has arrived at Quebec, being the first arrival from sea.

—Sales of butchers' stalls in the market at Montreal by auction will realize $5,000 more than last year.

—Water will be let into the Lachine Canal on Wednesday, 5th May, and on Monday, 7th May, will be open for navigation.

—A priest named Bertrand, in the Gatineau, was recently robbed of $210 and cheques and mortgages amounting to $22,9.0.

—The Montreal Board of Trade, at a meeting on Tuesday, passed a resolution disapproving of the removal of the Geological Museum from Montreal, the acknowledged commercial, manufacturing and financial centre of Canada, where it has been established for 35 years.

—At the Assizes at Toronto Tuesday, Mr. Jas. Bethune, Q. C., received three hundred dollars from one O'Callagan, for expenses incurred in an election trial.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

OUTRAGE BY A NEGRO.

SPOTTED TAIL TO BE REWARDED.

Russia Purchases American Steamers.

A MATERNAL PRESENT.

Sardis, Ohio, April 27.—Gus. Bridgemoore, a wealthy saw mill proprietor, in a quarrel with his engineer was mortally wounded yesterday.

Chattanooga, April 27.—Will Hill, colored, outrageously assaulted a four year old daughter of David Poyer, inflicting fatal injuries. He was captured on Thursday at Rome. It is feared he will be lynched.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 27—Barney O'Brien, colored, was arraigned yesterday for beating his child to death. He drew a knife and attempted suicide in the court. A policeman restrained him.

A Washington special to the *Times* says:—Spotted Tail's services in bringing in the hostile Indians will probably be recognized by giving him a Coloneley in the army as the head of a body of Indian scouts, to be given regular regimental organization.

London, April 27.—The Sultan will inspect the army of the Danube on Saturday, and afterwards go on to Kars. A battle is expected near Kars.

Mark Lane wheat advances.

European bourses are easier.

The situation is regarded at Vienna as far more urgent than British statesmen seem to admit. If Russian invasion can be definitely localized the tripartite treaty may remain in the back-ground for the present.

Manchester, April 27.—A firm at Arbroath, Scotland, has just received a very large order for canvass from the British Government probably for tents. This is supplementary to another recent order.

The *Sun* rumors that Russia has purchased two iron steam ships from the Pacific Mail Company; that several Russian sailing vessels have been put under the American flag and that Russian ships will endeavor to interrupt ship ments of American arms to Turkey.

The Grand Duke Alexis has just received from his mother a magnificent gold bracelet studded with diamonds to be worn on his left wrist until the end of the war. It was accompanied with his mother's blessing and an injunction to heroism.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

FIRST BLOOD FOR THE TURKS.

THE TRIPARTITE ALLIANCE AND THE RESULT OF ITS VIOLATION.

CANVAS ORDERED FOR TENTS.

London, April 27.—A Constantinople despatch says the battle of Tchuruksou, in which the Russians lost 800, has been renewed.

Liverpool, April 27.—The *Courier's* London correspondent telegraphs:—I have the highest authority for stating that Her Majesty's Government has just been called upon by Austria to fulfil her engagements under the Tripartite Treaty of 1856 for protecting the integrity of the Ottoman Empire; and that a decision has been reached at a Cabinet Council to take action in accordance with the national obligation. The Cabinet have resolved to make a formal request to the Russian Government to state the object of the military operations. Austria has agreed to address the same enquiry to Russia. As a third party to the tripartite alliance, France has not been required by the other two to take action in consideration of resolutions between France and Germany. The treaty enables any of the three powers to act separately in the fulfilment of its terms or to call upon either or both of the other powers to fulfil the treaty by joint action. A momentous alternative declaring war against Russia will arise very shortly.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—An investigation into the political relations of the Grand Trunk with the late Government it is believed would reveal things beside which the Northern Railway developments would look tame.

—A New York paper says the Commission for settling the fishery claims under the Washington Treaty will meet at Halifax in July. We will, soon after that date, probably, know how much cash Sir John's sale of Canadian territory will bring in.

—The only reason offered why Sir John Macdonald should not be proceeded against for violating the Independence of Parliament Act, by contracting to sell land to the Government, is that he only received $5,000 for it, and that the price was not exorbitant. Mr Anglin's prices for doing Post-office printing were not exorbitant, so that he and his accuser (Sir John) stand on the same level in so far as that point is concerned.

—Mr. Bowell, M. P., ex-Belleville "Intelligencer," and Mr. Stephenson, M. P., of the Chatham "Planet," do not think Independence of Parliament motions so funny when directed against themselves. The Belleville journal announces that Mr. Bowell is prepared to confront his ministerial annoyers, "to set them at defiance, and to baffle their unreasoning rage even at its greatest height." The Chatham vehicle of letters and politics is even more emphatic. "Neither man or devil," quoth the "Planet," will force Mr. Stephenson, "without a struggle to the death." We havn't seen better squirming since we used to go a fishing.

Married.

On the 8th inst., by the Rev. W. A. Sills, at the residence of the bride's father, Jennie, eldest daughter of Jacob Knox, Esq., Sidney, to George W., second son of John Hendricks Esq., Murray.

Died.

On Thursday, 25th inst., at the residence of Timothy Daly, Station Road, Annie, eldest daughter of the late Timothy Hays.

Funeral will take place on Saturday, 26th inst.

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Belleville, April 25th, 1877.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Hillsdale, Mich., Oct. 27, 1875.

R. V. Pierce, M.D.:

I had a serious disease of the lungs, and was for a time confined to my bed and under the care of a physician His prescriptions did not help me. I grew worse, coughing very severely. I commenced taking your Medical Discovery, which helped me greatly. I have taken several bottles and am restored to good health,

Yours, respectfully,
JUDITH BURNETT.

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as well as any and everything likely to endanger the lives of our fellow citizens,

Before the First day of May, 1877.

If the offal and other nuisance be not removed by the First day of May, the law relating thereto will be rigidly enforced.

Persons having complaints to make will communicate with the Secretary in writing.

J. T. BELL,
President.

J. P. McDONNELL,
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Belleville, April 16, 1877. 4i

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Feb. 20th, 1876. 3m

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Wednesday, April 25th.

Mr. Mackenzie introduced a Bill to further secure the independence of Parliament.

Mr. Mousseau charged Mr. Workman of being a partner in a firm that furnished the Government with hardware supplies while a member of the House.

Mr. Casey made a similar motion with regard to Mr. Desjardins, charging him with having, while a member of the House, performed printing contracts for the Government.

Both motions were referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Cartwright moved, "That on Wednesday next the House go into Committee on certain resolutions respecting the Northern Railway, to the following effect:—First—That the said Company shall within one year from the first day of May, 1877, pay to the Government the sum of £45,000 sterling in cash, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Second—That the said Company shall within the same period pay the Government of Canada the sum of $27,458.87, in satisfaction of the sums improperly applied by the Company out of the moneys payable to the Government of Canada, and also assign the mortgage now held by the same Company on the Couchiching Hotel for moneys advanced thereon." He referred briefly to the circumstances which rendered the proposed action necessary.

Considerable discussion ensued.

Mr. Bowell contended that the report of the Committee was more unfair in its omissions than in those matters which were mentioned.

Mr. Guthrie challenged the member for North Hastings to point out a single material fact brought out in evidence which had been omitted in the report, or any statement in the report which was not borne out by the evidence. He went on to analyse the testimony, showing that every point brought out in the report was most clearly established, and that the Committe would have been justified in making the report much stronger than it was.

The motion was finally carried.

Mr. Cartwright's Bill respecting the auditing of the Public Accounts was read a third time, and several other measures also passed or advanced a stage.

In the course of the evening the Premier gave some interesting information respecting the Sidney Exhibition. It appears that by good management the total cost of the Philadelphia and Sidney Exhibitions together would not greatly exceed the estimated expense of the former only. The Government will take steps to organize arrangements for a fitting exhibit of Candian goods at Paris in 1878. Models of some of the public works of Canada will form a portion of the Canadian display on that occasion.

SOME FACTS.

We commend the following extract from Mr. Mackenzie's reply to Dr. Tupper's onslaught, "anent" the Pacific Railway Policy of the Government, to the careful perusal of our readers. The Premier generally deals with facts when he speaks, and what follows is a sample :—

"In the public works let last year, we let them 25 per cent. cheaper than they had been let in 1873 by the hon. gentlemen opposite. He claimed no credit for that, because wages and prices have fallen. That is the sole reason of the reduction. The first year he controlled the management of the Intercolonial Railway the expenditure was reduced by $100,000. They had done twice the buiness in his department since he was there that was done in the same number of years previous, and did it at less cost. He had a list which showed that in general contracts the hon. gentlemen opposite, in cases where no reason was assigned, had lost $621,994 during the last three years they were in office by not giving contracts to the lowest tenderers; and on the Intercolonial Railway, applying the same principle, $1,411,567. He believed at this moment the contract was on a sounder basis than ever it was before in this country. He did not say he did the best he could, but he had this satisfaction, that he succeeded in doing better than his predecessor. In conducting their general policy the Government have had to encounter great difficulties. They have had to call upon their supporters to make some sacrifices in regard to the voting of public money. They have to call on their supporters to support them still in carrying to a successful conclusion such negotiations as may yet become necessary with the Province of British Columbia. He had pointed out with regard to those obligations, which were not of his creating, that he succeeded at last in modifying them, and that he has endeavored to the best of his power, knowledge and ability to serve the public both in the old Province of Canada and the Province of British Columbia. If we have not been so successful as we would desire, if the circmstances of the country have been such as to require us to move with caution and discretion, he was quite sure that in that matter every single member who has supported the Government from the first will be prepared to make due and proper allowance. It is to our interest to make this a cheap country to live in. It is our interest also to open up the vast prairies of the west as soon as it can be done, and to do everything that our means or circumstances will permit to keep faith with our cousins across the Rocky Mountains, with those associated with us for our good or ill. In the meantime we are bound, while dealing with these matters in consequence of obligations imposed upon us, not to lose sight of old portions of the country which contribute the money which has to be expended on that quarter. The great tax-paying population of the country is the population which will have to decide the manner in which this has to be done in the future, and no pressure from any quarter, however influential, must be suffered to interfere with the great interests of the country, which we have alike sworn in common to protect."

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And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.

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A most delicious Confection.

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Turkeys Boned, Dressed and Jellied.
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Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c,
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PARTIES having Houses to Rent, or Real Estate for Sale, or parties wishing to Rent or Purchase Houses or Farms please call.

☞ Prompt attention to Collections.

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Passengers will find these steamers tastefully fitted up, and the staterooms large and perfectly ventilated: The saloons are the entire width of the vessel, and situated where the least noise and motion, greatly lessening the liability to sea sickness. Smoking rooms, Ladies' Boudoirs, Piano-fortes and Libraries, Bath rooms, Barber's shop, Electric Bells, Spacious Promenade Decks, &c.

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And Practical Wig Maker,

At 304 FRONT Street, Belleville.

Old Hair Dyed or Worked over in the Latest and Neatest Manner

PROF. LAVOIE,
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☞ All Orders Promptly attended to.

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ASSURERS joining before 30th April will rank for a YEAR'S PROFITS in excess of those joining after that day, thus sharing in FOUR YEAR'S PROFITS at next division in 1880, and this important feature is recommended to the consideration of intending assurers.

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Of joining an old and successful Company like the CANADA LIFE may be judged by the following facts;

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Rates for the various systems of Assurance may be learned upon application at the Head Office in Hamilton, or at any of the Company's Agencies.

R. HILLS, Secretary. A. G. RAMSAY, Managing Director.

T. DONNELLY,
AGENT,
Belleville,

April 16, 1877.

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—FOR—

L. F. LANDERS & CO.'S

NEW STEAM LAUNDRY

—AND—

SHIRT FACTORY

294 FRONT STREET.

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ALL KINDS OF

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE

Manufactured, and

Roofing, Eave-Troughing, Gas and Water Fitting, Plumbing and Bell Hanging

or any kind of Jobbing, attended to at Shortest notice, and with Reasonable Charges.

Our Motto is, CHEAP FOR CASH,

AT CHOWN'S

STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.
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MECHANICS, ATTENTION!

YOU will find a good assortment of

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AT LOWEST PRICES,
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ALL CLASSES will find a Well Assorted Stock of *Building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, &c* AT CHOWN'S.

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CALL AND SEE
OUR NEW STOCK
OF
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JUST RECEIVED,

And will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.

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FLOWER POTS.

WE have a complete assortment of Flower Pots now on hand, including every size made, at extremely Low Prices.

F. H. ROUS & Co.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

IN sums from $2.00 to $20,000 and from one year to 20 years on Real Estate. No Commission. No double Expenses, the undersigned being sole agent and valuator.

SAMUEL J BULL.
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May 3rd 1876. d&w

NOW IS THE TIME

TO FILL YOUR

SCRAP BOOKS.

1 case SCRAP PICTURES
1 do RELIEFS.
1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
1 do CARD HOLDERS,

H. C. RAY,
Robertson Block, Belleville.

March 8th, 1877. d&w

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ALL STYLES

—DONE—

Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously

AT THIS OFFICE.

JAMES J. LANDY,
MANAGER.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Condon & McDonald, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent All debts due by the late firm will be paid by E. Condon,

E. CONDON,
J. McDONALD.

Belleville, April 3rd, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business will hereafter be carried on by E. Condon, who will be thankful for a continuance of former patronage.

FRESH ORANGES and LEMONS TO-DAY.

TO RENT.

TWO OFFICES in This Building, Rent Five Dollars per month.

Enquire at THIS OFFICE.

A CARD.

Tailoring.

I have pleasure in stating that

MR. WOLEVER

SO FAVORABLY KNOWN,

SUPERINTENDS

THE TAILORING DEPARTM'T

IN MY BUSINESS.

JAMES ROBERTSON'S

April 19th, 1876.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We take great pleasure in announcing that after a deal of trouble we have succeeded in getting the services of the Laundress that started the Chicago Laundry here some three years ago. This will be sufficient guarantee to those who patronized the Laundry at that time, that they will receive the same SATISFACTION by patronizing now. We have REMOVED IT to much more SPACIOUS PREMISES, and have added every modern improvement, and can safely say it is SECOND TO NONE IN CANADA. We shall give SPECIAL ATTENTION to this branch of our business in future, and manage it in such a way that it must recommend itself to the public. Particular attention will be paid to LACES and FINE GOODS. We shall send for things and deliver them, as usual, but our terms will be CASH ON DELIVERY in all cases. We shall receive orders at our new store, 260 Front St.

A. E. FISH & CO.

T. C. TILLINGHAST

Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW

SCOTCH TWEEDS,

WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,

WORSTED COATINGS,

SPRING OVERCOATINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY

GIVE ME A CALL.

April 22nd, 1876.

DOORS! DOORS!

MADE on honor of 1¼ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT

THOMAS McRae's

STEAM PLANING MILL,

Sash, Door, and Blind Factory,

Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.

PLANING,
MATCHING,
GROOVING, &c., &c.

and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.

Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.

EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!

CONTRACTS

Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.

Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be

PROMPTLY FILLED

THOMAS McRAE

Bellev Dec 20, 1875.

A CARD OF THANKS

THE Subscriber wishes to thank her friends for past patronage and to inform them of her removal to the new dwelling owned by Mr T Bonner, Second Street between Bridge St. and Flints Mill, West Belleville, where she will continue the Hair Work in all desired Styles, root ends of combings all turned one way, adding to its value. Orders left at Mr. O. Dempsey's Book Store, or sent by mail promptly attended to P. O., Box 255.

ADDIE M. CAMPBELL.

Belleville, Dec 8th, 1875

☞ ON HAND.

JOHN J. SHEA

CITY BILL POSTER,

DISTRIBUTOR AND PAPER HANGER.

☞ Orders left at printing offices will receive prompt attention,

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT.

Of wedded bliss,
Bards sing amiss,
I cannot make a song of it;
For I am small,
And my wife is tall,
And that's the short and long of it.

When we debate,
It is my fate
To always have the wrong of it;
For I am small,
And she is tall,
And that's the short and long of it.

And when I speak,
My voice is weak,
But hers—she makes a gong of it;
For I am small,
And she is tall,
And that's the short and long of it.

She has, in brief,
Command in chief,
And I'm but aide-de-camp of it;
For I am small,
And she is tall,
And that's the short and long of it.

TOM HOOD.

HANS AND FRITZ.

Hans and Fritz were two Deutschers who lived side by side;
Remote from the world, its deceit and its pride,
With their pretzels and beer the spare moments were spent,
And the fruits of their labor were peace and content.

Hans purchased a horse of a neighbor one day,
And, lacking a part of the Geld—as they say,
Made a call upon Fritz to solicit a loan,
To help him to pay for his beautiful roan.

Fritz kindly consented the money to lend,
And gave the required amount to his friend;—
Remarking his own simple language to quote—
"Berhaps it vas bedder ve make us a note."

The note was drawn up in their primitive way—
"I, Hans, gets from Fritz feefty tollars today"—
When the question arose, the note being made,
"Vich von holds dot baper until it vas baid?"

"You geeps dot," says Fritz, "und den you vill know
You owes me dot money." Says Hans: "Dot ish so;
Dot makes me remempers I hat dot to bay,
Und I prings you der note nud der money some day."

A month had expired, when Hans, as agreed,
Paid back the amount, and from debt he was freed.
Says Fritz, "Now dot settles us." Hans replies, "Yaw;
Now who takes dot baper accordings by law?"

"I geeps dot, now, aind't it?" says Fritz;
"den you see
I always remempers you baid dot to me."
Says Hans, "Dot ish so, it vos shust so blain
Dot I knows vot to do ven I borrows again."

C. F. Adams, in "Appleton's Journal" for May.

SAVED BY A PRAYER.

At the time of my visit to Baxter, Ark., says a letter writer, a court of Judge Lynch was in full session, just outside the town. The culprit, a young man of twenty-seven, was proven guilty of horse stealing. The jury—the mob—sentenced him to be hanged forthwith. The rope was procured and he was mounted on the rear of a wagon under the branches of a black oak.

Everything was ready for his death, when a philanthropic man of benign appearance—he was a stranger in that community—requested to pray in secret with the prisoner. A vote was taken and he was allowed ten minutes to work on the soul of the doomed man. It was the most fortunate grant the young man ever received. When in the midst of an earnest supplication to the throne of grace, three of the prisoner's comrades entered the crowd, tumbled the praying man over, and gave the young man two loaded revolvers. The four desperadoes broke for horses held by another of their party, which they mounted and rode off, firing into the crowd. So quick were the movements of the desperadoes that the members of the sanguine court were taken by surprise, and before they recovered the horse thieves had a good start. There was mounting of steeds in hot haste, profanity and pistol shots in profusion. The outlaws had the fleetest horses and escaped. The jury dispersed sadly to their homes, intending to make surer work of their next culprit.

WON'T FORGIVE.

There was a man came to me once and wanted me to talk with his wife; she was anxious about her soul. I went around and talked and explained to her the way of life, and then I got down and prayed and asked her to pray, and she made one of the most earnest prayers I ever heard. When she got up off her knees, I said: "Any light?" "No," she said, "It is dark still." I talked and talked, but she didn't see the way. The next day I went back again; it grew darker and darker, and it looked as though she was going out of her mind. Finally, I thought of this text (I suppose God put it right into my heart just at that time) and said. "Let us repeat the Disciples' prayer." She began, and when she repeated, "forgive my trespasses, as I forgive those that trespass against us," I said, "Can you say that from the heart?" "No," she said, "There is one woman I never will forgive." I found it. We got off our knees, and I said, "It is no use to pray any longer." "What do you mean?" she said; "do you mean that God is not going to forgive me if I don't forgive that person?" I said, "That is what he says; you cannot get all you ask for if you won't forgive, and you must not expect to." "Do you mean to say I cannot get into heaven without asking that person's forgiveness?" "Well, the World of God says it, and you cannot expect to be forgiven yourself if you are not ready to forgive others." And she said, "I will not become a Christian," and I left, and the last I heard of her she had gone out of her mind, and some people will say religion drove her out of her mind, but it was the want of it, that what it is was.—*Moody.*

LET EVERY LIGHT BE BURNING.

The watchman at Calais lighthouse was boasting of the brilliancy of his lantern, which can be seen ten leagues out at sea, when a visitor said to him:

"You speak with enthusiasm, sir, and that is well. I like to hear men tell what they are sure they have and know. But what if one of the lights should chance to go out?"

"Never, never! Absurd! impossible!" replied the sensitive watchman, with a sort of consternation at the bare supposition of such a thing. "Why, sir," he continued, and pointed to the ocean, "yonder where nothing can be seen, there are ships going by to every part of the world. If, to-night, one of my burners were out, within six months would come a letter, perhaps from India, perhaps from Australia, perhaps from some port I never heard of before,—a letter, saying that on such a night, at such an hour, at such a minute, the light at Calais burned dim and low; that the watchman neglected his post; that vessels were consequently put in jeopardy on the high seas. Ah, sir," and his face shone with the intensity of his thought, "sometimes, in the dark nights, and in the stormy weather, I look upon the sea and feel as if the eye of the whole world were looking at my light. Go out? Burn dim? That flame flicker low or fail? No, sir, never!"

Shall Christians, shining for tempted sinners, allow their light to fail? Forever out upon life's billowy sea, are souls we see not, strange sailors in the dark, passing by, struggling, it may be, amid the surges of temptation. Christ is the Light, and the and the Christian is appointed to reflect the Light. The ocean is vast, its dangers are many, and the eyes of the far-away voyagers are turned toward the Calais lighthouse—the Church of Jesus Christ. The Church is set to be the light of the world. Are its revolving lamps all trimmed and brightly burning?—*Methodist Recorder.*

CONTESTED MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

DOYLE VS. MEAGHER.

(Before Judge Sherwood.)

Continued.

G. D. Dickson and A. Robertson for Plff; Thomas Holden and L. H. Henderson for Deft.

The following evidence was taken.

Father Farrelly, sworn,—Reside in the town; was in Belleville last Municipal election; voted at the election in Bleecker Ward; Meagher, Hambly and Doyle were the candidates; qualified on lot 307 near the Catholic Cemetery; bought it some 5 years ago; a person living on it; he took charge of it this year; a man named Clark lived in the house; don't remember the name of the man living there at the election; Dessen was his name; the property is in the name of the R. C Corporation of the Diocese of Kingston; purchased it from Wm. Doctor; Doctor conveyed it to Brennan and he re-conveyed it to the corporation when the mortgage was paid; the property belongs to the corporation and I have no claim on it except as a component part of the corporation; the corporation represents the church in each locality; Brennan gave his deed about a year after it was bought; the person living in the house attends to the cemetery; that is the only property in Bleecker Ward that I have any connection with; object to tell how I voted.

Cross-examined—As Vicar General and resident clergyman I have full charge of and represent the property; have sole control of it.

Re-examined—This property is for the benefit of the Catholics of the town.

John Grant, sworn,—Remember the election in Bleecker Ward; Doyle, Meagher and Hambly were the candidates; voted at the election; voted on lot South side of Railway Street above Smith's foundry; did not own the property in 1876; had no title to it at all; no other property that I have an interest in there; voted for the last 8 years and thought my vote was good; my father owns the property; had no interest at the time of election.

Cross-examined—My father pays for the planting of the lot and gets the proceeds; object to say for whom I voted.

W. J. Baker, sworn,—Live in Bleecker Ward; know where the last election was held; it was opposite my carriage factory; it was held in the house belonging to the Widow Eaves; voted at the election; know the position and locality where I voted; persons looking from the outside could tell how a man voted; I could tell knowing how the names were on the ballot paper; I know it from personal observation; a shutter was put up level with the window; on the outside of the window a paper was put on the broken pane but it fell off; saw persons go on the outside for the purpose of telling how certain parties voted.

Cross-examined,—Did not try that day to see how people voted; have tried since in order to see if it could be done; the window was not a double one, but could have been made so; the building is on the right as you go to the station; several did the marking; Mr. Meagher did so and stood at the centre of the table or shutter that was there; Mr. Meagher stood with his left hand to the window; remember when I voted, but do not know how I had my left hand; would not say that I did or did not place my left hand to hold my ballot paper; very likely I may have done so; would not say positively how Mr. Meagher's left hand was placed; did not look through that day myself.

Wm. Davis, sworn,—Remember last election; know where the voting was and know where the window was; my attention was drawn to the fact that persons were looking in from the remark being made that the fun would now be spoiled as they put the paper on the window; did not vote.

Michael Graham, recalled,—Was at the poll that day; we put up a paper to prevent persons seeing how voters voted; Mr. Northcott desired me to do this; it was in the afternoon; remember Harney voting; several persons had their ballots marked for them; two were marked on the table; some were marked inside where they marked the ballots; Mr. Northcott went in alone; Harney could not see well; Mr. Northcott went in alone with him; voted that day; have tried whether parties could see from the outside, and found they did; I was up there day before yesterday; did not myself see anyone voting; the windows appeared to be dusty; anyone who knew how the names were on the ballot could see how a person voted.

Cross-examined,—There was only one window opened on the day of election. The double window beside the door was closed; there were evergreens round the room but there was plenty of light; there were two sheets and shutters put up against them; the window slides; the window was opened about 3 feet; The room where they did not vote had not as much light as the room where they voted; when I voted I stood at the table with my left hand to the window; Had the ballot in my left hand; a man had to vote sideways at the table; Saw parties looking when I was in voting.

Re-examined,—There were no evergreens in the windows.

L. H. Henderson, Sworn—I was looking at the position of the place yesterday with Mr. Holden; the windows were pretty dirty; there was an attempt made to see if any person could see a person voting from the outside; Mr. Baker, Mr. Meagher, and Mr. Graham were there; our meeting there was accidental; Mr. Holden laid a paper down and I went outside and I could

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The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 28.

An agent of the Canadian Government has left Worcester, Mass., with 871 French Canadians, who had been residing there, but have taken lands in Manitoba, where they are going to reside. It is expected other and similar bodies will soon follow.

Believing in the principle that honor should be given to whom honor is due, we willingly accord all necessary praise to Dr. Tupper for having absented himself from the House during the consideration of the Indemnity Bill. He had promised to support it before that caucus had been held, of which Sir John speaks, and could not command the "cheek" of the other members of his party, who could stultify themselves for the sake of making some political capital. Score one for Dr. Tupper.

It is stated on pretty good authority, that several days ago, when the Government decided to introduce an indemnity measure, Mr. Mackenzie met Sir John and informed him of his intention. He pointed out that, under the circumstances, as members on both sides of the House were liable to penalties, and as the law would relieve them all, it would be nothing more than fair for him (Sir John) to second the introduction of the Bill. It is reported that Sir John not only spoke strongly in favor of the justice of such a measure, but willingly promised to second it, making the proviso that before he did so he should consult his friends—his usual excuse. The following day he again saw Mr. Mackenzie and regretted that at a caucus a number of his supporters had announced their intention of opposing the Bill. While he was personally in favor of it, and would promise to give it his support, he must decline to second it. Hypocrisy and dishonesty!

THE INDEMNITY BILL.

We have given the provisions of Mr. Mackenzie's Indemnity Bill in a former issue of the Ontario. It deals with pecuniary penalties only, and is intended to relieve those who have unwittingly offended. Its effects, so far as such persons are concerned, ceases with the present session. It does not extend to next session, and applies to members of both sides with equal advantage. The proceedings thus far taken with regard to violations of the Independence of Parliament Act, have not been confined to the Ministerial side of the House; and it is quite reasonable to suppose that motions for disqualifications and damages that have been instituted are as well founded against Conservatives as Reformers. The opposition offered to the Bill by Sir John and his followers must, therefore, be regarded as insincere. There was another, and perhaps a last, opportunity for making a little capital, and it was eagerly seized. They were in their hearts glad that such a measure had been brought forward. They were also convinced that it would be carried by a large majority. Thus secure, they could afford to be brave, and impeach the Bill as a whitewashing process. They did not fear the result of any enquiry before the Privileges and Election Committee. Not they. The criminality was entirely confined to the opposite side of the House. Mr. Bowell was, as usual, impudent, and insinuated that the suits against members on his side were taken at the instigation of the Government, in order to coerce the Opposition to support the Bill. This show of bravado will be duly magnified by his pocket organ, and laid before the electors of North Hastings as a guarantee of Mr. Bowell's purity. The plan won't work, however. Mr. Bowell has as good reasons as any other member of the House to feel grateful for the relief granted by the Bill.

LOYAL ORANGEMEN.

We believe the Orange Society of Canada is composed for the most part of men who are loyal to their principles, and who love patriotism as a cardinal virtue of good citizenship. They are pledged to a faithful observance of the laws of the land, and a willing defence of the Crown and Constitution. This is what we believe, judging, as we have a right to, by their professions.

Messrs. Mackenzie Bowell, M. P., and John White, M. P., are influential members of the Brotherhood. In fact they exercise the chief power in virtue of their offices as Grand Masters. To them the subordinate members naturally look for an example to guide them when questions of interest are at stake. Let us see what authority these gentlemen possess for claiming to be representative Orangemen.

It is well know that in 1869-70 an insurrection existed in Manitoba. Sir John Macdonald had sent Hon. Wm. Macdougall to the new province as Governor, and the half-breeds were persuaded to believe that he intended to dispossess them of their lands. This feeling finally culminated in an open rebellion against the Canadian authorities and the organization of an independent Government. The moving spirits in the insurrection were mostly characters from the United States, who counselled treason and murder for filibustering purposes. Among these was W. D. O'Donoghue, who presided at the council that decreed the death of Thomas Scott, a truly loyal Orangeman and patriot, and subsequently lead a Fenian invasion of the province.

During the session of 1875, when the "North-West difficulties" were considered in Parliament, Mr. Bowell declaimed loudly and bitterly against the amnesty question. He would grant no favors to Riel, Lepine or O'Donoghue. The latter, especially, was singled out for Mr. Bowell's greatest wrath. "*He richly deserves perpetual banishment*," cried Mr. Bowell, and "should suffer no milder penalty than is visited upon all murderers and treasonable persons."

A few days ago this same amnesty question was again before the House, by motion of Mr. Costigan. The same O'Donoghue, who, in 1875, "richly deserved perpetual banishment," was the subject for whom amnesty was asked. Messrs. Bowell and White, the Orange Grand Masters, knew that their party is in great straits; that advantage must be taken of every opportunity to create a favorable impression somewhere, so at the bid of their leader they demanded that the murderer of Thomas Scott—the "Fenian O'Donoghue"—should be amnestied and given all the privileges and enjoyments of a loyal British subject.

We submit these facts to the consideration of "loyal Orangemen" in North and East Hastings. It is impossible for us to believe that the members of the Brotherhood will quietly submit to such repudiation of principle for political purposes, even by men as high in authority as Grand Masters Bowell and White.

THE WAR.

Roumania has declared war against Turkey. This is what our yesterday's despatches announced. Roumania is, or ought to be, neutral territory under the Treaty of Paris. But treaties do not always govern national affairs, especially in emergencies like the present Eastern conflict. Her hostility towards Turkey will greatly aid Russia's advance. The tone of the leading papers of London is significant of England's policy. They are unanimous in condemnation of Russia's precipitate movements, and tell her plainly that the English nation will support the Government in all necessary measures to maintain British interests. In fact, the activity in naval circles, the suspension of furloughs, and the menacing tone of the press, leave nothing to be conjectured, should England be forced to enter the field. And if she does, one or two brief campaigns will not end the struggle. If Prussia presses forward her legions towards the Dardanelles, Europe may be all ablaze before June is out.

Editorial Notes.

Spitz dogs are beginning to attract attention in Montreal. They bite children, and hydrophobia is feared.

The wholesale trade in Montreal has shown much improvement during the past week.

The petition against Mr. Langevin's return has been filed in court at Murray Bay.

Wheat and corn have advanced several cents on the bushel in Chicago, and there is great excitement on 'Change.

The police force of Toronto are luxuriating in idleness. There is nothing for them to do.

The ice still continues to come down the river at Sarnia in large quantities, and navigation is greatly retarded.

Mr. Alfred Reeves, a drover of Toronto, has chartered five vessels to convey cattle to England during the present season.

Rumors are circulating in Toronto of two infants having met their death by foul play, but until the report is confirmed particulars will be withheld.

The Papal legate, now *en route* from Rome to Canada, is Dr. George Conroy, Catholic Bishop of Armagh. His principal mission is understood to be relative to the retirement of Archbishop Lynch, whom he will probably succeed. On his way here he will stop at Halifax, N. S., to be present at the consecration of the Archbishop elect, Dr. Hannan.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Thursday April 26th.

A long discussion ensued a motion by Mr. Gibbs to have the Campbell Divorce Bill placed on the orders of the day for the second reading.

The motion was declared lost on a division.

The Northern Railway resolutions passed through Committee, and the Bill founded upon them passed its first, second and third readings,

The House went into Committee on the Tariff Bill, and on motion for third reading Mr. Rochester moved an amendment to reduce the malt duty to one cent per lb.

The amendment was lost on a division and the Bill read a third time.

Mr. Mackenzie then moved the third reading of the Bill to further secure Independence of Parliament.

A long discussion followed, and the Bill was carried on the following division:—Yeas, 92; Nays 43.

Majority for the Bill, 52.

The Bill was then put through Committee and passed, and the House went into Committee of Supply on the Suplementary Estimates.

The remaining items passed, those for 1878 without discussion, on the understanding that on concurrence the same latitude of debate should be allowed as in Committee.

In reply to Sir John Macdonald,

Mr. Mackenzie stated that so far as he could see prorogation would take place on Saturday.

The House adjourned at 1 o'clock.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The Toronto *Mail* says that Mr. Mackenzie has invested $3,000,000 of the people's money in a "white elephant," and that he has found it "necessary to put the animal out of sight." We dont believe a word of it.

While the *Mail* does not hesitate to assert that Mr. Blake's illness is due to the "startling revelations" of the session, it was terribly shocked at the bare hint that the illness of its chief political writer and his sudden departure from Ottawa were connected with any of the "startling revelations" growing out of the Northern Railway investigation.

—Truly says the Toronto *Telegram*: It would have been better for the "Chieftain"—and what is better for the "Chieftain" is better for the whole party—if the general election had been held immediately after he had finished his triumphal picnic tour. He has not gained any party strength since the House met. On the contrary, he has lost what additional strength the picnics were supposed to have given him. The Secret Service Scandal, the Northern Railway Scandal, and matters of that kind, cannot possibly have strengthened him in the minds of the people generally, however much they may have endeared him to the hearts of his own people as well as to those who have had experience in the same line.

MORE ABOUT THE PREMIER.

There is a rumor in the lobbies that Mr. Mackenzie will in the near future surrender the portfolio of Public Works and assume some other. It is clear he has too much to do, and that his persisting in attending unremittingly to act as both Premier and Minister of Public Works, is having a wearing effect upon him. Should he make the change it is understood he will take a department, the business of which will, when combined with the Premiership, fairly occupy his time. It is also rumored that some arrangements permitting him to retain charge of the Pacific Railway works will be effected. There is no person in Parliament or in the country who can approach him in capability for discharging the duties therewith and for years to come they will be found perhaps even more than sufficient to alone engage the attention of one Minister. Some of those who like to speculate in these matters are credited with arguing that in the early future there will have to be a reconstruction of the Canadian Ministry and that it is probable the basis will be that of the British Government, which is composed of six or seven Ministers who have seats in the Cabinet, and a number of Members of Parliament at the head of various departments, but who have not the rank of the Cabinet Ministers. Some persons here are understood to hold that such an arrangement would answer the purpose, and—by leaving the details of much work to others, who would have seats in Parliament, and be directly responsible to the people—leave six or more heads to arrange matters of general policy, and attend solely to the chief affairs of the State. It is thought, too, that such a reconstruction would not be much, if any, more expensive than the present system.

THE SPEAKER'S CASE.

The Hamilton 'Times' Ottawa correspondent, writing on the 27th. inst. says:—

"The Committee on Privileges and Elections met this morning, and after some deliberation on the Anglin case, decided to invite members of Parliament not members of the Committee to withdraw from the room. Those who were present having done so, the committee, it is understood for every member of it to pledge himself to secrecy; that a decision was reached, and that it is unfavorable to Mr. Speaker. The report will not, in any likelihood, be laid on the table till the last thing before prorogation, when it will be read to the House. This is conjectured to be the result and method of procedure, for nothing can be obtained from any member of the Committee, and no one was present when the determination was come to. The Committee adjourned until tomorrow at 11 o'clock, when the final disposition of the case, whatever it is, well be made."

STATISTICS OF ODDFELLOWSHIP.

Grand Master, J. Ham Perry lately spoke in Kingston at the consecration of a new hall there. He referred to the great progress of the Order in Eastern Ontario, beginning with the institution of Kingston Lodge No. 59 seven years ago. At that time Kingston Lodge was the only lodge east of Toronto, except Brock Lodge, Brockville. Now there are 38 lodges. Seven years ago only 25 lodges existed in Ontario: now there are 170. Then the Order numbered 2,100 members: now it numbers 12,000. Then it spent $3,200; last year it spent nearly $20,000 in relieving 180 widows and 998 brothers in distress.

Seven years ago the Widows' and Orphans' Fund amounted to $15,000; it now amounts to $101,000.

The General Fund seven years ago amounted to $21,000; now it amounts to $281,000.

The Order an institution of yesterday. It was started in Baltimore on the 26th of April, 1819, with five members, and that one lodge has increased to 6,500; and the membership of five has increased to 500,000.

During the 58 years of its existence the Order have received nearly 60 millions of dollars of which it has expended about 20 millions in charity! More than $340,000 yearly in charity!

CHANCERY SITTINGS.

(Before Hon. Chancellor Spragge.)

Saturday, April 28th

Glass vs. Zwick.—This case which was commenced yesterday was a Bill filed for the purpose of declaring void and fraudulent a deed as against the complainant and other creditors of Deft. Zwick. A decree was made dismissing the Bill with costs as against the Deft, Zwick, and with costs as against Deft, Pemberton. E, Fitzgerald, Q, C., J. Simpson and S. S, Wallbridge for Pltff.; Diamond & Diamond and Geo, O. Alcorn for Deft.

Foley vs. Foley.—A Bill was filed in this cause by the Pltff. against her husband, the Deft, for alimony and interim alimony. A decree was given by consent in this case, the Deft, allowing the Pltff $3,00 a week alimony. If the parties hereafter agree to live together again, the Pltff. is to be allowed to have her four younger children living with her, and the others permitted to visit them. Costs as between Solicitor and client. C. Moss and G. D. Dickson for Pltff.; E. Fitzgerald, Q. C., and J. J. B. Flint for Deft.

Gildersleeve vs. Cowan.—This was a common Mortgage Bill. The case was argued ably and at length by Messrs. Moss, Fitzgerald and Alcorn. Judgment was reserved. Hon L Wallbridge, Q C, C Moss and J J B Flint for Pltff; E Fitzgerald, Geo O Alcorn and A Robertson for Deft.

Clark vs Long.

Roblin vs Long.—These two cases were treated conjointly, the question raised in each case being the same. The Bill was filed for the purpose of restraining the Deft from alienating or incumbering certain land, and conveying the same to the Pltff, having held it as Trustee. E Fitzgerald, Q C, and S B Burdett for Pltff; Hon L Wallbridge for Deft. The case is still at hearing:

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Sensational Reports.

ENGLAND SAID TO BE INVOLVED.

Rumored Joint Action by Austria and England.

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NAVAL OPERATIONS IN THE BLACK SEA.

REPORTED RUSSIAN REVERSES.

London, April 27.—The *Daily Telegraph's* correspondent at Pera says the Russians altogether lost about 2,000 men in the battle near Batoum. Both Poti and Fort St. Nicholas have been bombarded and partially destroyed.

Bucharest, April 27.—Two Turkish monitors, each carrying five guns, advanced yesterday to the mouth of the river Sereth to take soundings. The Russians continue to concentrate at Barboschi. The railways from Jassy to Ferguli and Dohaisk to Pascani are interrupted by floods.

Evening.—It is stated that the Turkish commanders at Scutari and in Herzegovina have commenced a simultaneous offensive movement against Montenegro.

The reports of unfriendliness between Turkey and Persia are denied.

Hassan Pasha telegraphs from Batoum, Thursday evening, that the second day's fighting resulted in favor of the Turks, who were well under shelter, and inflicted considerable losses on the Russians.

Vienna, April 27.—The *Deutsche Zeitnng*, in its evening edition, has a report that England is negotiating with the Porte for the cession to her of the Suez Canal.

Constantinople, April 27.—The Russians have occupied Giurgevo on the Danube.

The renewed fighting near Batoum, according to accounts received here, has resulted unfavourably for the Russians.

The Ottoman fleet is bombarding the Russians' fortified harbor of Porti, forty miles nort of Batoum.

The Porte has issued another manifesto, which declares that the Bosnian, Bulgarian and Herzegovinian insurections, and the Servian and Montenegrin declarations of war were instigated by Russia. The manifesto concludes with the declaration that Turkey is ready to fight to the death for its independence.

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Service, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Holy Communion, first Sunday in the month. Service every Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free.
Rev. J. R. Jones, Incumbent.

ROMAN CATHOLIC (ST. MICHAEL'S).

CHURCH STREET.
Morning Mass at 7:30 a. m. ; High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3·30 p. m.
Rev. James Farrelly, V. G.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.

BRIDGE STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Lecture, Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 7:30. Strangers met at the door and escorted to seats.

WEST BELLEVILLE.
Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Evening 7 p. m. Seats free.

KINGSTON ROAD CHURCH.
Sunday School, 10 a. m. Afternoon Service, 3 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. E. B. Harper, Rev. S. P. Rose, Ministers.

BLECKER STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. T. H. Cullen, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL METHODIST.

CORNER OF CHURCH AND GREAT ST. JAMES STS.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m.

UNIVERSITY CHURCH, NEAR ALBERT COLLEGE.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 7:00 p. m , and Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
Rev. B. Lane, B. A., Pastor.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.

Morning Service at 11 a. m. ; Evening Service at 7. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3. Weekly Prayer Meeting, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. John Burton, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN (ST. ANDREWS).

CHURCH STREET.
Services—Sunday, 11 a. m , and 7 p.m. Sabbath School, 3 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7 p. m.
Mission Sabbath School, at Northcott's School House, at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. W. McLean, M. A., Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Hotel Street.
Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2½ p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ p. m.
Rev. A. O. Cossar, Pastor.

BIBLE CHRISTIAN.

Services—Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6½ p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. in the new Bible Christian Church, Front Street, West.
Rev. J. Wickett, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Coleman Street, West Belleville.
Morning service at 11 o'clock ; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday School, at 3 p. m.
Rev. Alex. Turnbull, Pastor.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. Express,	6.50 a m
No. Express,	6.10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.
SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 28.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Station Lodgers.—A goodly number of applicants for shelter presented themselves at the police station last night. Eleven were accommodated.

Town Council.—A regular fortnightly meeting of the Town Council takes place on Monday evening next, when the Auditors' report (among other matters) will be discussed.

Grip.—The cartoon in this week's *Grip* has a double significance. "War declared—the Russians cross the Pruth"—has some reference to recent events at Ottawa as well as in the East.

Rapid Growth.—The warm sun which has been shining down upon everything mundane during several days back, has given the grass an impetus to its growth which it seldom receives at this season of the year. The face of nature now looks lovely.

A New Proposition.—It is now proposed to make Trenton the distributing post office for Prince Edward County instead of Brighton. The change will doubtless expedite the delivery of the mails throughout the County.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York maintains its famous reputation as a model first class house. Its reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Building in Trenton.—Two blocks of stores are now being erected in Trenton by Messrs. Ireland and Lee. They are to be of brick, and will greatly add to the appearance of the business portion of the village.

Sale of Horses.—Mr. D. Collins, of Campbellford, has sold his colts "Sporting Paddy" and "Wild Irishman ;" the former to a resident of Seymour and the latter to a gentleman of Trenton. Both animals have taken prizes at several cattle shows, and are fine beasts.

Army and Navy officers make their head quarters at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia. So do leading business men from sections, while for families and large parties of travellers it also offers unequalled attractions.

Drive Them Down.—We observe that several corporation employees are engaged in driving down the nails that project from the side-walks throughout the town. It is a humane proceeding, as we have had personal experience of a very painful nature more than once,—all on account of those nails, too.

Adjourned.—The contested election cases have been adjourned till Monday.

Another Opportunity.—Miss Geldard and Miss. Madie will preach again tomorrow in the Congregational Church, morning and evening.

Daniel's Band.—Miss Geldard will address the evangelistic meeting at the close of the different churches to-morrow evening. Hall over Mr. Nathan Jones' store.

Collision.—By a buggy coming in contact with a street car this morning, one of the wheels of the former was damaged, a number of spokes having been knocked out.

Weather Predictions.—Vennor says we will have a cool and wet mid-summer, and that the autumn will be open and fine with a well marked Indian summer. If these pleasant prognostications are not fulfilled we'll send him out on another geological survey.

Christian Monthly.—The April number of the "Canada Christian Monthly," (family "Good News,") has been received. It is published by Mr. C. Blackett Robinson, Toronto, at $1 00 per annum—free of postage—in advance. We recommend the work to all Christian readers.

Temperance Lecture.—In accordance with the request of the Women's Christian Temperance Association, Mrs. Youmans, of Picton, the celebrated lecturer, will deliver an address upon Temperance in the Town Hall, on Monday evening, 30th inst., at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is expected.

Marine News.—The schooners *Nellie Sherwood* and *Belle* have cleared from Brighton, loaded with cedar posts. The schooner *Walters* cleared from Consecon to-day with 5,000 bushels of peas for Kingston. The steamer *Norseman* has delivered a large quantity of fruit trees at Brighton.

Broke His Wrist.—Patrick Dunn, whilst employed in loading the *Nellie P. Downey*, yesterday about noon, fell and broke his wrist. He was assisting some others to run the car which was full of rye from the storehouse to the deck of the schooner, and when passing along a platform leading to the vessel fell, sustaining the injury above mentioned.

Fortune Making.—Owing to the recent rise in the price of grain, many persons have made large sums. Several citizens of Kingston have been speculating successfully ; so has one in Trenton, and now a report reaches us that a Shannonville grain dealer has made quite a stake. The sum, it is almost needless to mention, is quite large. Madoc and other villages in the back townships are yet to be heard from.

Meeting.—The monthly meeting of the Murchison Club will be held in the Committee Room, Shire Hall on Monday 30th inst. at 7:30 o'clock p. m. The Chair will will be taken at 8 precisely, Members are advised that the future meetings are expected to be very interesting as the Club is about to enter regularly upon original work. N. B. Some special papers are expected to be read and the election of officers for the ensuing year will also take place on Monday evening.

Farming.—From many of our exchanges we learn that the fall wheat in this section of the Province looks remarkably well, and that the indications at present are favorable to a good yield. Those who sowed this class of grain last fall will likely realize good prices for it when it is brought to market. The farmers in this vicinity have been busily engaged for the past two weeks in putting in their spring crops. The land is in excellent condition for working, and has not worked better for years. Those who get their grain in early will probably secure the best crops, as the early sown grain generally yields more to the acre, and is of a better quality.

Annals of Guelph.—We have to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the "Annals of Guelph," from 1827 to 1877, compiled under the direction of C. Acton Burrows, editor of the Guelph *Herald*. We mentioned a few days ago that the citizens of Guelph had celebrated the 50th anniversary of the founding of their beautiful town by imposing demonstrations. The volume before us contains 169 pages of matter referring to the history of Guelph and vicinity during the above mentioned time, and is written in a style to ensure the public favor. Copies will be sent post free on receipt of 75cts. Address, C Acton Burrows, Guelph.

The Contested Municipal Election.—Mr. John Doyle requests us to correct a few inaccuracies which, he says, crept into our report of this case. In Loranger's testimony he is made to say that "Doyle treated to a cigar ;" it should have read, "He (witness) did not know who treated." Again, witness said "only one man asked him to vote for Doyle," instead of "several men" as reported. In this connection, we might observe that it is our desire to have our reports as correct as possible, and we do not wish it to be considered that we are partial to one side or the other. We have no end to serve in the premises other than to furnish our readers with a correct report of the proceedings. N. B.—We have every reason to know that our report was perfectly correct.

An Exciting Scene. This morning No. 1 engine team, in charge of a son of Mr. Benjamin Johnson were driven down the slope on the east side of Coleman Street, in the vicinity of the upper bridge, for the purpose of allowing them to drink. When going down the incline, one of the snaps attached to the bridle got fastened in one of the rings of the neck-yoke, and thus the driver lost control of the team which continued their journey out into the river. The current at this point is very fast, and the horses were carried down towards the dam. The boy in charge then jumped off the waggon and swam to the shore. When the team got as far as the dam they stopped, and the nigh horse having secured a footing turned around and the two horses then swam up the stream and reached the shore in safety. Though the horses are large and powerful, it is a matter of wonder that they were not drowned. Mr. Johnson may consider himself a fortunate man.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

THE GALLOWS.

A Balm for Packard's Wounded Feelings.

Looking for a Collectorship.

PRESENT TO AN ACTOR.

A Conspiracy Foiled.

A DOUBLE DEFEAT FOR THE RUSSIANS.

Summerville, Ga., April 28.—David Breck was hung yesterday for shooting W. Shoulin. They had quarrelled about a crop contract, and when Shoulin entered Breck's field and attempted to gather the corn crop Breck deliberately shot him.

New York, April 28.—The *Tribune* says Packard will probably be offered some South American mission.

Gen. Anderson, of the Louisiana Returning Board, is a candidate for the New Orleans Collectorship, and is supported by Secretary Sherman.

The *Times* says as soon as a formal notice of the Russian-Turkish war is received, a proclamation of neutrality will be issued by the President.

Ben McCullough, the eminent tragedian at Booth's Theatre, last night was presented with a magnificent solid silver laurel wreath.

It is reported that the sudden sailing of the steamer John Bramall, early on Saturday morning, with a consignment of arms and ammunition for Turkey, was owing to the fact that a number of men who had engaged passage had conspired to seize the ship and land the cargo at St. Petersburg. The ship slipped off, leaving over 30 booked passengers behind.

London, April 28.—The Russians have been twice defeated at Batoum.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

THE ENGLISH CABINET AND THE EASTERN QUESTION.

FORMATION OF A BRITISH ARMY CORPS.

THE DANUBE CLOSED.

THE TRIPARTITE AGREEMENT.

THE TURKS CROSS THE DANUBE.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 28.—Yesterday a young man named Quinn presented at the State Savings Bank a certified check on the National Park Bank, New York, for $4,900, and drew $1,900 on it, leaving a balance on deposit. The check was afterwards discovered to be a forgery, and Quinn was arrested and gave up the money.

Cincinnati, O., April 28.—Fred Starbery and John Schwarz, notorious counterfeiters, were arrested last night. Eleven moulds, several hundred counterfeit half-dollars, electric batteries, etc , were seized.

Manchester, April 28.—The *Guardian* rumors a conflict of opinion between Lord Beaconsfield and some of his colleagues, as to the part England shall immediately take in the Eastern question.

An army corps of 30,000, or 40,000 is rapidly prepared for dispatch to any point where English interests require it. It is highly probable this corps will rendezvous at Malta or Gibraltar. The command is to be offered to Lord Napier of Magdala.

London, April 28.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says:—The Danube is declared closed to navigation by Russian commanders. Lloyds confirm this and say that neutral vessels must leave as soon as loaded. No inward bound vessels will be allowed to pass after Sunday.

London, April 28.—A telegram from Rome says :—In reply to the Porte's claim for mediation of the powers in virtue of article 8 of the Treaty of Paris, the powers have informed the Turkish Government that the negotiations, which were so long carried on by the Powers, fulfilled this article, and that the Porte's present demand is therefore unfounded.

New York, April 28.—A London despatch says :—Advices through Turkish sources from Asia Minor report the battle at Batoum between the Turks and Russians raged throughout the whole of yesterday. The Russians commanded by the Grand Duke Michael, were severely repulsed. The Turks under Hassan Pasha suffered slight losses, but the Russians lost heavily. The Russians resumed the attack last night but were again defeated and driven across the frontier.

Bucharest, 28.—The Turks crossed the Danube to-day near Silistua. A severe engagement is expected.

This and That.

—The degree of Doctor of Medicine was recently conferred on fifteen ladies by the Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania.

—Wallace Ross' challenge for a scull race will probably be accepted by Warren Smith, of Halifax, who goes into training early next month under the auspices of the Halifax Rowing Association.

—Mr. George Kelly, Postmaster of Lambeth, is the possessor of a lamb with six legs, four of which are in front. The owner of a sheep with more than six legs has yet to be heard from.

—It is said to be probably that owing to the hard times the Woodstock spring races, which were announced to last three days, will only occupy one day, and that the 24th of May for a "shake purse," perhaps. London won't indulge in any races this spring.

—It is rumored that Mr. Henry Wilson, lumber merchant, of London, having become involved in his business arrangements, has left the city under dubious circumstances. His liabilities have not been ascertained, but it is stated the principal loser will be a Sarnia firm.

—Several nuggets of gold were found yesterday in Gravenhurst. Mr. Brock, one of the owners of the well, was offered $1,000 for an eighth of an acre where the discovery was made, and $15,000 for two acres adjoining, but refused it. Some fine specimens were obtained in Fiske's Spring Creek. Considerable excitement prevails.

By a new wrinkle in female apparel, the lady, instead of her dress, is to be tied back. The specific purpose of the new elastic tie is to give the lady a walk ranging between a hop and a sweep.

ARMIES AND THEIR COST.

The following suggestive figures relative to the effective armies of Europe are from the last number of London "Truth": Russia, 1,789 571 ; Germany, 1,248 834 ; France, 1,118.525 ; Austria, 964,268 ; Italy, 871·871 ; England, 635,809 ; Turkey, 629,636 ; other countries, 476,321 ; total, 7,754,935. Allowing only £30 per head for the cost of each man, £232,649,050 per annum is expended for the maintenance of these enormous armies. As there are drones in the hive instead of workers, if what they earn be added to what they cost, this permanent system of "blood and iron" is maintained at an expenditure to the hive of about £500,000,000 per annum. And we rejoice that we are born in an age of civilization and progress !

OUR PUZZLES.

☞All correspondence relating to this department must be addressed, "Puzzle Editor, Box 336, Belleville." The author's name must accompany all contributions.

ENIGMA.

I am a word of nine letters.
My 1, 2, 4, 8, is worn by ladies.
My 7, 2, 1, 8, is an oral relation.
My 6, 4, 8, 3, 7, is a perfume.
My 8, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, is a sacred festival.
My 5, 3, 7, is an insect.
My 4, 2, 7, is an animal.
My 4, 1, 2, 9, 8, 7, is a beverage.
My 6, 1, 2, 7, 8, is an argillaceous stone.
My. whole is the name of a city in England.

Emma Allan.

SCRIPTURAL ENIGMA.

We left our little ones at home,
And whither went we did not know ;
We for the churches' sake did roam,
And lost our lives in doing so.
We took a straight and forward road
With all the wicked full in view;
We lived for men and died for God,
And nothing of religion knew.

Buss

ARITHMETICAL QUESTION.

How far through space would the head of a nail in the tire of a waggon wheel five feet in diameter travel in going from Belleville to Napanee, a distance of 25 miles? Give answer in miles, furlongs, &c.

Quiz

Note.—The author of the above question will give a cash prize of $1. to the party sending us the first correct solution. This offer is limited to pupils attending the public schools in Belleville.—Ed.

DIAMOND PUZZLE

A consonant; an animal; a useful animal; a city of Ontario; something we all like to possess; past tense of a certain verb; a vowel.

Ridley Phillips.

⁂ We have numbered the above puzzles, and shall continue to do so in future in order to make it more convenient for our correspondents, as they need merely give the date and number when sending solutions.

CHAT WITH CONTRIBUTORS.

Quiz.—Glad you do not forget this department. Solutions correct.

Emma Allan, (Marlbank.)—Thanks for Enigma. Solutions correct.

Jack, (Stirling.)—Try enigmas 2 and 3 again; also the last line of the Historical Enigma. Other solutions correct.

Susie Loveless, (Shannonville,)—All solutions correct except that of Enigma No. 3, and that is within one of being correct.

Grammar School Boy.—Your Acrostic will appear in our next.

Bertie.—What capital letters you write. Your last fairly glistened with sunshine. Puzzle next week. Solutions correct.

SOLUTIONS TO PUZZLES OF MARCH 24.

Historical Acrostic.—Bannockburn ; thus:—B-agdad, A-mbrosius, N-emesis, N-ajara, O-rlando, C-onfucius, K-arear, B-ajazet, U-zziah, R-oderick, N-ew York.

Charades.—1, Laybook; 2, Seamanship

Conundrums.—1, Because they *forge* and *steel*; 2, When *Ham* was taken into the ark by Noah; 3, Because it is situated between two banks.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, April 28.

Greenbacks buying at	92½
" selling at	94
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	87¼

Gold opened at 160⅞ ; closed at 107⅞.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, April 28.

Flour—Receipts 2,750 barrels. Sales, 1,500 barrels. Market quiet dexcited change business Sales, 100 strong bakers at 8,60 ; 100 do at 8 70 ; 100 at 8.80 ; 100 medium bakers at 8 50 ; 100 do 8 40; 50 Patent 10.00; 200 Ontario bags at 4 10 ; 100 do at 4 15 ; and 100 do choice 4.30.
Grain and provisions unchanged.
Ashe —Pots easier firsts 4,15 to 4,20.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 28, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 10,800. Shipments 5,090. Market Very quiet selling 5 to 10c, lower ; light grades selling at 5.30 to 5 50 , heavy packing at 5.40 to 5.65 ; choice shipping at 5.60 to 6 00.

New York Markets.

New York, April 28, 1877.

Gold—106⅞.
Cotton—Quiet, 10¼
Flour—25 to 50 cents better. Receipts, 6,000 barrels ; sales, 12,000 barrels.
Rye Flour—Advancing, $6 50 to $6.75.
Wheat—Held 3 to 5c higher at $1.75 to $1.80. Receipts 9,000 ; sales none.
Rye—Advancing, $1.05 to $1.10.
Corn—3 to 4c higher. Rects, 91,000 bush, ; sales 500,000 bush. at 65 to 70c, and 67 to 71.
Barley—Scarce.
Oats—Firmer. Receipts 23,000 bush; sales 29,000 bush, 48 to 63c for mixed; 54 to 68
Pork—Firm at 16.00 16½.
Lard—firmer at 10.35¼.
Butter—10 to 18c for old ; 13 to 25c new
Cheese—7 to 14c.
Petroleum—Crude 9⅞c; refined 15¼.

THOUSANDS OF AFFIDAVITS.

Many have used "paint" and prepared medicines and failed in finding the relief promised, are prejudiced against all medicines. Is this right? Would you condemn all physicians because one failed in giving the relief promised? Some go to California in search of gold, and after working hard for months and finding none, return home and say there is no gold there. Does that prove it? Many suffering with Catarrh and pulmonary affections have used the worthless preparations that crowd the market, and in their disappointment say there is no cure for Catarrh. Does that prove it? Does it not rather prove that they have failed to employ the proper remedy? There are thousands of people in the United States who can make an affidavit that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery have effected their entire cure. Many had lost all sense of smell for months, and pieces of bone had repeatedly been removed from the nasal cavities.

TO LET

A desirable house on William St. Apply to GEO. CRANG
Belleville, April 26th, 1877.

After war, pestilence and intemperance—colds lead to the greatest destruction of human life, mainly because it is considered by many to be of no consequence, and hence systematically neglected, until a simple, curable disease, is converted into a fatal pulmonary one. Every one troubled with what is called a slight cold or cough, should immediately use "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers." They allay irritation at once, and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents a box.

A SENSE OF WEARINESS

is often felt by persons who cannot locate any particular disease. If they work it becomes labor; if they walk, they soon tire; mental efforts become a burden, and even joys are dimmed by the shadow of this weakness which is cast over their lives. Recourse is had sometimes to stimulants of a dangerous character. The advice of physicians to refrain from active labor produces no happy results. Why? The system is debilitated and needs to be built up properly. Peruvian Syrup will do this very thing. Like the electric current, it permeates the entire system, and harmonizing with the corporeal functions, it rises up the enfeebled, and brings the color to the cheek again, and hope to the despondent. It does its work promptly and well. Sold by all druggists.

THE GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

it is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETOR. $1.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail.

For sale by all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

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20c Per Foot, 20c

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—IN—

KID GLOVES!

BEST QUALITY KID GLOVES—
Josephine, Jouvin, etc., single button reduced from $1.00 per pair to ONLY FIFTY CENTS. A few pairs children's sizes amongst them.

CORSETS—
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ALL TO BE CLEARED OUT AT ONCE.

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HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST, Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse, With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES, HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS, AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

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OF

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Great Variety,
New Patterns,
Cheap Goods,

FOR THE SPRING TRADE.

HAT RACKS, BRACKETS, &c., WHAT NOTS, FANCY TABLES, &c., &c.

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Without the objectionable Rockers.

BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS IN

GILT CORNICES.

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THE undersigned has removed three doors North to

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And has opened up with a New and Well-Selected Stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

Including everything that can be found in

A First-Class Dry Goods Store.

The stock having been selected with the utmost care he feels confident he can supply the public with goods AS LOW as can be sold by ANY OTHER HOUSE in the trade.

A Call Solicited.

N. H. PETERSON.

April 12, 1877.

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Belleville, April 21st, 1877.

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EXTRA FINE BLK. FUR HATS

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5 Silk Parasols	for $1.00
20 pairs Lisle Thread Gloves	" 1.00
3 " Kid Gloves	" 1.00
20 " Cotton Hose	" 1.00
22 Towels	" 1.00
18 yards Good Grey Cotton	" 1.00
15½ " Fast Color Print	" 1.00
10 " Good Oxford Shirting	" 1.00
3 " Good Table Linen	" 1
3 " Table Oil Cloth	" 1
3 " Good all-wool Shirting	" 1
5½ lbs Good Tea	" 1
More Goods for	$12.00

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Feb. 20th, 1876. 3m

almost read it ; I have no doubt that the ordinary names on a ballot paper could be distinguished ; there could be no difficulty in seeing how it was marked.

Cross-examined,—Was not present on the day of election ; only judge from what I have been told what the position of the table was and the arrangement on day of election ; could put myself in such a position that no one could see me from the outside ; a person going in casually to vote without any suspicion might be easily seen from the outside.

Joseph Grainger, sworn,—Live in town; remember the election ; know where the election was held ; saw some persons vote that day more than one ; saw John Grant vote from the street ; several were looking from the street; saw no difficulty in seeing a man vote ; Grant voted for Doyle.

Cross-examined, Grant voted for no one else ; It was in the afternoon ; was round the poll a good deal that day ; don't remember who were looking in when I was ; had voted before ; knew where the compartments on the ballot paper were ; had my face close to the window ; he could see me if he looked.

James Cumming, sworn—Remember the day of election; know the place where the voting took place; was there when Harvey went there; saw him go there; he is ill now; knew that he was a friend of Meaghers', and I was anxious to know how he voted; I went to the window and saw Harney and Mr. Northcott come in; Mr. Northcott took the ballot and Harney put his hand on the pencil and Northcott marked opposite Doyle's name; it was on the right hand side of the upper corner; Harney is an old man and lives near St. George's Church; any person could see the ballot distinctly from the sidewalk.

Cross-examined—Mr. Northcott stood near the window and Mr. Harney stood next him: Harney used his right hand in marking; quite satisfied it was on the right hand side, upper corner.

Wm. Gordon, sworn—Live in Bleecker Ward; remember last election; voted at election; was there when Father Farrelly voted; saw him go in to the polling place; persons were looking in at the window during the afternoon; I saw some marking their ballots by looking through the window; I was standing close; saw Vicar-General Farrelly mark his ballot; as near as I can testify, he marked his ballot on the upper corner of the right hand of the ballot; I could see the names on the ballot, but could not recognize them; he marked on the top of the ballot at the right hand corner.

Cross-examined—Father Farrelly voted in the afternoon; had voted myself at the time.

R. Newbery, recalled—Assessment for Bleecker Ward made in 1876 was returned 5th Oct. and revised 14th Nov., 1876.

The defence recalled

John Northcott—Don't remember very distinctly about Mr. Harney voting; marked the ballot for some voters ; some were marked outside, and several marked in the private room; I think I remember that Harney could not see; do not remember how he told me to mark his ballot; marked his ballot the way he told me; did not notice anyone looking through the window; the room was covered with evergreens; the shutters were on the east window; remarked one or two outside, but did not observe anyone at the window.

Cross-examined—My table was at the back end of the shop; will not be positive whether we had lamps before the polls closed or not; Tom McGinniss came in and said they were looking through the window, and we then put up paper to prevent it; don't remember whether I took a declaration from Harney.

Father Farrelly, recalled — Remember when I went to vote; remember when I went into the room to vote; my attention was directed to two parties looking in; I placed myself in such a position that no one should see how I voted.

John Grant, recalled—Remember voting; remember the position in which I held the ballot paper; my left hand was holding it down; did not see anyone ot the window.

Cross-examined —Won't swear as to the exact position of my hand; had no suspicion of anyone looking; a person at the window might see me; don't think they could see how I voted.

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RAISING EARLY CHICKENS.

That excellent farmer's monthly, the Canadian Granger, has the following letter, from a London township correspondent in its April number:—

Whether for market or breeding purposes, poultry should be raised as early as possible. By a small outlay on a foul house, farmers can have good sized chickens by the middle of May, or the first of June. At this time they are never less than fifty cents a pair in any city or town in Ontario. No better investment can be made than this. The only trouble is, farmers have no place to put their brood after hatching out. It is not necessary to have close, warm cellars, in order to raise a brood of early chickens. We have now a clutch that came out during the piercing weather of March and were put in ordinary form, inside a coop, well filled with clover chaff. The floor was also bedded with this, and during the day were allowed to come out and scratch through it. Out of thirteen birds, only one died and this was through palpable neglect. We have had birds come out in midsummer and not have such a large proportion of healthy ones, and so small mortality. We deduce from this that poultry will stand a great amount of cold, if they are kept dry and well fed. Damp houses, whether in summer or winter, are suicidal to old or young. We venture to say early birds will be stronger and healthier for two reasons;—First, the mothers are never in better condition than during the cold weather of spring. They are not irritated during incubation by parasites, and the fever which generally accompanies the system in hot weather in setting hens. It is nothing short of torture for hens to sit three weeks during the hot weather of June and July, especially in the close and unhealthy quarters generally found in our poultry yards, [illegible] more by the hot sun of a Canadian summer than by cold. Nothing has a more debilitating effect on young [illegible] birds, hatch early.

HISTORICAL [illegible]

Most people have heard of the "seven wise men of Greece," but [illegible] who they were or how they came to [illegible] so. Here is the story, and the moral of it is worth remembering, if their names are not:—The seven wise men of Greece are supposed to have lived in the fifth century before Christ. Their names are Pittacus, Bias, Solon, Thales, Chilon, Cleobulus, and Periander. The reason of their having been called wise is given differently by various authors; but the most approved accounts state that as some Coans were fishing, certain strangers from Miletus bought whatever should be in the nets without seeing it. When the nets were drawn in they were found to contain a golden tripod, which Helen, as she sailed from Troy, is supposed to have thrown there. A dispute arose between the fishermen and the strangers as to whom it belonged, and as they could not agree, they took it to the Temple of Apollo and consulted the priestess as to what should be done with it. She said it must be given to the wisest man in Greece; and it was accordingly sent to Bias, who declared that Thales was wiser, and sent it to him. Thales sent it to another one, and so on, until it had passed through the hands of all the men distinguished afterward by the title of the "Seven Wise Men," and as each one claimed that the other was wiser than he, it was finally sent to the Temple of Apollo, where it still remains, to teach the lesson that the wisest are most distrustful of their wisdom.

Tasso's conversation was neither gay nor brilliant. Danton was either taciturn or satirical. Gray seldom talked or smiled. Butler was sullen and biting. Hogarth and Smith were very absent minded in company. Milton was unsociable and even irritable when pressed into conversation. Kirwan, though copious and eloquent in public addresses, was meagre and dull in colloquial discourse. La Fontaine appeared heavy, coarse and stupid; he could not speak and describe what he had just seen; but then he was the model of poetry. Chaucer's silence was more agreeable than his conversation. Dryden's conversation was slow and dull, his humor saturnine and reserved. Corneille in conversation was so insipid, that he never failed of wearying; he did not even speak correctly the language of which he was a master. Ben Johnson used to sit silent in company and drink his wine and their witticisms. Southey was stiff, sedate and wrapped up in asceticism. Addison was good company with his intimate friends, but in mixed company preserved his dignity by a reserved silence. Fox, in conversation, never fagged; his animation and variety were inexhaustible. Dr. Bently was loquacious; so also was Grotius. Goldsmith "wrote like an angel and talked like poor Poll." Burke was entertaining, enthusiastic and interesting in conversation. Curran was a convivial life. Leigh Hunt was "like a pleasant stream" in conversation. Carlyle doubts, objects, and constantly demurs.

OUR PLACE IN THE WORLD.

Our place in the world, whether we are rich or poor, great or humble, seems so important to us that we cannot help believing there will be a gap in life when we have slipped out of it—that we shall be missed, and thought of, and talked about—that something we do will not be readily done as well by others. Yet, when we calmly set feeling aside and think, we know that when we die it will be as if one drop were taken from the ocean. The other drops fill its place, just as other men and women will fill ours.

The happiest and best loved are only wept for by a few, and those few forget at last. If we have attained any eminence, there will be some one not sorry that there is more room for him. If we have been unsuccessful we pass unnoticed.

The world goes on while great men die and rich men are buried. Friends find other friends, and love, at last, seeks another lover. Life often proves man's nothingness: but while he breathes there is some room for him, something for him to do. But when he dies, one can scarcely believe that he was needed upon earth, others crowd so quickly into the little space that his existence filled here.

SNEEZING.

As a rule, a sneeze is the warning nature gives that some part of the body is exposed to a cooler temperature than the other parts, and that the sneezer is "catching cold." Next to the warning, what is the use of the sneeze? It throws open the pores of the whole body and induces a gentle perspiration; in a word, it throws off the cold. A child rarely sneezes more than twice,—perspiration is readily induced in a youth; an old man, on the contrary, sneezes half a dozen to a dozen times, with a loud, explosive "catchogue." It is harder to set him perspiring. When one is sitting by an open window, and finds himself sneezing, nature tells him he is taking cold. He should get up instantly, walk about, and take a full tumbler of cold water to keep up the gentle perspiration the sneeze has set in motion. If he does this, he will not be telling an hour after that he has a "cold in his head," or chest, or lungs.—" Dr E, Wentworth."

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 30.

"CHURCHMAN'S" letter, with editorial from the *Evangelical Churchman*, will appear to-morrow.

WE suppose the prorogation of the House puts an end to proceedings against certain members for having violated the Independence of Parliament Act. They will probably be renewed next session, unless something very mollifying intervenes during the recess.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor-General on Saturday gave his assent to 78 bills, passed during the present session, principally Government Bills. The following were reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon:—An Act for the relief of Mary Jane Bates; an Act for the relief of Walter Scott; an Act for the relief of Martha Jemima Hawkshaw Holiwell.

THE prorogation ceremonies on Saturday were unusually tame. Scarcely a quorum of members were present. The attendance of ladies and the public was very meagre, owing, no doubt, to the threatening condition of the weather. The Address, which we give elsewhere, was very brief, and the fuss was soon over. The Hamilton *Times* piously ejaculates: "For this and all other mercies, &c."

THE steamer "John Bramhall," with a consignment of arms and ammunition for Turkey, sailed very suddenly from New York on Saturday. It seems that a number of men had engaged passage and conspired to seize the ship and land the cargo at St. Petersburgh. This becoming known the ship took a hasty departure, leaving over thirty booked passengers behind. Is not this something like another Alabama case?

THE Senate passed the Indemnity Bill. Why? Simply because Sir John had played his little game of deception in the Commons and heartily desired to have the measure adopted. He was confident that it would pass the popular body, and could afford, therefore, to get up a show of virtuous opposition. But in the Senate Sir John commands a servile majority. He could have intimated a desire to have the Bill thrown out, and the Senate would have acted promptly. Instead of doing so, however, he counselled his Senatorial friends to permit the passage of the Bill, and they responded. So ends the Tory farce.

THE ANGLIN CASE.

We are informed that the report of the Committee on Privileges and Elections is adverse to Mr. Anglin. His conduct in accepting a printing contract from the Government is censured, and his seat held to be vacated. It is also said that the report includes all others who have in any way violated the Independence of Parliament Act. We write this in advance of official information of what did take place at Ottawa on Saturday. Mr. Anglin doubtless resigned his seat. It would have been much better had he done so last year, when the matter was first made publicly notorious. His re-election is certain, but his reappointment to the Speaker's Chair scarcely so. The Ottawa *Free Press* says:—

> "As the Usher of the Black Rod summoned the House to the Bar of the Senate this afternoon, the report of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, declaring that Mr. Speaker had unwittingly violated the law, but declaring such practices improper and the seat vacant, was laid on the table. The Clerk laid the paper in his desk, and locked it, whereupon Messrs. Bowell and Mitchell, with cries of 'Break the d—d thing open,' got possession of the keys, opened the drawer and took out the report."

THE SENATE ONCE MORE.

The "old granies" have left the Capital much pleased with themselves, of course. They had an opportunity, just prior to prorogation, to once more show how necessary the Senate of Canada is as a check to hasty legislation. Mr. Cartwright's Bill for changing the fiscal year passed the Commons with the assent of a majority on both sides. It was acknowledged to be an excellent measure providing it could be effectively carried out. To meet this objection the Finance Minister announced his own and subordinates' willingness to assume the responsibility. The Senate has, by a vote of 31 to 16, given the Bill the three month's hoist. This last majestic move is characteristic of that fossilized body. It was nothing more than vexatious and captious. The Bill will be sent up again next session, when, we presume, the august Senators having vindicated their inalienable right to check hasty legislation it will receive their sanction.

TOO ENTHUSIASTIC.

During the session of a temperance meeting in a neighboring town, one of the persons who occupied the stage was an enthusiastic deacon who frequently interrupted the speaker by yelling, "Thank God for that." One gentleman was called upon, who arose and said: "Ladies and gentlemen, I am heart and soul in this cause, and feel that it will be a great benefit to the people of this place." "Thank God for that," yelled the deacon. "But ladies and gentlemen," he continued, "I am sorry to say that it will be impossible for me to address you this evening——" "Thank God for that,"said the absent-minded deacon, and then the chairman took him out doors and had two men s't on him. [Oil City Call.

Editorial Notes.

PARLIAMENT was prorogued on Saturday. "Let us have peace" now.

REV. MR. HUNTER, of Ottawa, has declined a call from a Chicago church with a salary of $4,000 a year.

A LAUNDRESS in the Royal Hotel, of Hamilton, has been left the one third part of £14,000 by a relative in Ireland.

THE water on the south shore opposite Montreal is 13 inches lower than on the north shore. Why is this?

A BOOK-KEEPER named Drummond has mysteriously disappeared from Montreal. The books are being overhauled.

THE dairymen of Toronto have agreed to use wine measures instead of Imperial after the 1st prox.

BELFORD BROS. have made arrangements for the publication of a Canadian edition of the *Fortnightly Review*.

THEY talk of introducing a Co-operative Society in Toronto. There is too much combination among tradesmen to keep up the price of food.

THERE was a heavy fire in Montreal yesterday. The Novelty Co.'s Manufactury was destroyed—10 men burried under falling walls and 15 others seriously injured. This is what a morning despatch states.

THE Midland Railway engine-house, station-house, and store-house at Peterboro', with all the freight in store, four cars, a hotel and three private dwellings were destroyed by fire early on Saturday morning. The loss is estimated at $35,- [illegible]

MRS. MONDELET has applied for a writ of separation against Dr. Mondelet, on the grounds of abusive and violent language a few weeks after marriage. Five weeks after that event he wounded her on the head with a candlestick, and in February knocked her down. On March 29th he brought a lewd woman named Bella Macdonald to their common household. The petition also recites the offence for which Mondelet was lately convicted.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, April 27.

After routine,

Mr. CASEY presented the report of the Civil Service Committee and briefly explained its recommendations.

After a brief discussion it was referred to the Printing Committee.

Mr. MACKAY (Cape Breton) presented the report of the Committee on the Coal interests, and on motion it was referred to the Printing Committee.

A number of Government Bills from the Senate were then advanced through their remaining stages.

Concurrence was then taken in a number of resolutions from the Committee of Supply, mostly without discussion.

After recess.

On Mr. DOMVILLE'S motion that the amendments made by the Senate on a private Bill respecting the Albert, N. B., Railway be read a second time and concurred in,

Mr. BURPEE, of Sunbury, moved that they be considered this day three months. He contended that the Bill, if passed as it stood, would seriously interfere with the private rights of certain individuals in Albert County.

Mr. GIBBS (South Ontario) moved an amendment to the amendment, "That the amendments made to the Bill be not concurred in."

After some debate the amendment to the amendment was lost.

Yeas, 24; Nays 63.

The House then divided on the amendment, which was carried.

Yeas, 47; Nays, 21.

Concurrence was then taken in certain resolutions from the Committee of Supply.

A division was taken on the item to provide for the salary of an Inspector of Indian Agencies $1,800.

The item was concurred in.

Yeas, 50; Nays, 16.

The House having concurred in the remaining votes in Supply, went into Committee of Ways and Means,and after a show of resistance from Mr. Domville the Supply Bill was introduced and passed through all its stages.

The House then adjourned.

PROROGATION OF PARLIAMENT.

On Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock His Excellency the Governor General proceeded in state to the Parliament Buildings and formally prorogued the fourth session of the third Parliament by delivering the following

SPEECH.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

Gentlemen of the House of Commons;

In relieving you from further attendance in Parliament, I beg to convey to you my thanks for the diligence with which you have applied yourselves to the performance of your duties.

Among the numerous measures you have passed are several of considerable public importance.

The improved provision for the Incorporation of Joint Stock Companies will, I trust, tend to the establishment of such Companies under the co-operation of sound general rules, rather than by special and exceptional legislation.

The law as to insurance companies will add to the existing securities of Canadian insurance.

The alteration of the duties on petroleum will confer a great boon on the masses of the population.

The vast shipping interests of our great inland seas will be benefitted by the extension to the trade on those waters of rights and remedies, the utility of which has been recognized by long experience.

The law providing for the extradition of fugitive criminals will enable Canada to discharge efficiently her part of the engagements of the Empire in this important particular, and I trust I may be enabled, when next I meet you, to announce the conclusion of a more extended extradition treaty between Her Majesty and the United States of America.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

In her Majesty's name I thank you for the supplies you have so cheerfully voted. I will take care that they are expended with due regard to economy.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate—

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

The Commissioners to be named under the Treaty of Washington having been at length appointed, the Commission will shortly be organized at Halifax. I have taken steps to ensure a full and fair presentation of the case. I trust the negotiations may realize all our expectations.

I have now only to give expression to my earnest hope that on your return to your several homes you may meet with evidence of growing prosperity, and that before you are again called upon to meet together in your representative capacity the passing cloud on our trade and commerce will have disappeared.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—In three years Sir John's firm got pickings from Sir John to the extent of $2,000, in direct violation of the Independence of Parliament Act.

—And now get ready to listen through the weary summer to the pop of the cheerful soda-water bottle and the munch of the dry yet satisfying sandwich. John A., Tupper "and others" will tell their old, old story in Markham at the first Tory picnic of the season on the 17th of June.

—The Montreal "Star" says it is "independent," and rebukes those who speak contrariwise. Well, let us put our contemporary to an easy test. Let us have its outspoken opinion (1) on the Secret Service money revelations; (2) on the Northern Railway development; (3) on Sir John Macdonald's extortion of illegal fees from poor debtors of the crown; (4) on Sir John's handing over of legal patronage to himself, or to his firm, which amounts to the same thing. Now, Mr. "Star," what say you? Don't be backwark in coming forward.

—Though Sir John and his friends, as the champion hypocrites of Canada, opposed Mr. Mackenzie's Relief Bill on Friday, there is not one of the law-breakers among them but will greedily make use of it for their own defence. The same outcry was raised against Mr. Mowat's Bill to relieve two unseated Tories and two unseated Reformers from disqualification, but when it was passed the Tories had no hesitation in taking all the advantages it afforded them.

THE MONTREAL FIRE.

A TERRIBLE SCENE.

One of the most disastrous fires that ever took place in Montreal occurred yesterday morning in a building situated on St. Urban St., and occupied by the Oil Cabinet Novelty Works Co. It is not the loss of property that is so much to be regretted as the many lives that have been lost.

The fire was discovered at five minutes past five and soon the whole department was on the spot. The brave firemen worked with a will and water from thirteen hose-nozzles was directed upon the flames.

Desperate in their efforts to subdue the flames, the men raised the Skinner ladder three of them ascended with the hose. The water they poured on the lower storys seemed for the moment to have obtained mastery, but a sudden blast of wind caused flames to envelope the whole front of the building. When the wind changed again the brave firemen who had ascended were found at the front of the ladder, not dead but terribly burned. The excitement after the accident to the men on the ladder became intense. The heat on St. Urbain-street was so terrible that the shingle roofs, doors, and window frames ignited, but were prevented from blazing up by the firemen. The latter laid themselves out to protect the lumber yard which has its entrance on Craig street. It was closely watched, and it may be said miraculously escaped, as well as Charbonnais' saw-mills, which adjoin the blazing pile. At six o'clock the wind assisted the flames more terribly that before, raising clouds of red hot splinters from the wreck, and depositing them on the roofs of the adjoining buildings. On Vitre-street the occupants of the wretchedly built tenements became alarmed, and shifted their goods in remarkably short time. The heat from the blazing works set fire to the roof of the saloon kept by Ridley and the building adjacent, but a continuous flow of water soon put that out. The fire in the upper flat did not appear to abate in ferocity, even when the very basement had become ablaze, and the roof, which fell in by small sections, without lessening the glare, increased the fuel that fed the flames below.

After the whole of the roof had fallen in, the upper portion of the two gable walls bulged laterally outwards, and as the volume of flame within their confines increased as the several floors fell in it was apparent to all the on-lookers that the walls were sure to fall, and that nothing could save the adjacent buildings—common wood shanties—or the firemen who were in that locality. Chief Patton, who had sent his men into an adjoining alley connected with an undertaker's shop, was awake to this fact, and rushed into the alley to call his men out. Reddy, Nolan, and Holtby, of No. 1, were on the roof of Beauchamp's store, playing on the house in Vitre-street. The chief had hardly the words out of his mouth, calling them away, when the rear portion of the wall fell and buried the chief himself, who received injuries from which it is doubtful whether he will ever recover. The cry instantly went up that the men were buried. Buckingham, of No. 9, rushed into the alley with two others to endeavor to preserve the buried men, Holtby by this time had worked his way out of the ruin, but the other two, buried almost up to their necks, were powerless, though conscious, and were literally cremated alive. Chief Patton's son rescued his father with the assistance of Mr. Charles Garth, and fireman Beck went for help, which he shortly obtained, among the new-comers being his branchman Henry. Even with the additional aid the two buried firemen could not be extracted, and Beck went for more assistance. He had no sooner emerged from the alley than the other portion of the wall fell and buried all who stood round.

Those who were not present can easily lifeless, others in the throes of death, and some few just conscious. The maimed were as tenderly carried as, under the excitement of the occasion could be expected, to an ambulance in charge of Chief McRobbie and taken to the hospital. The dead were placed in the coffins which were close at hand from the undertaker's store.

BRINGING THE MILK.

Mr. Fawcett said his men had frequently come to him and said, "Such and such a cow was dry; I cannot get a drop of milk from her." His answer would be, "Go and get a can and come with me." The man had laughed and said: "Its no use, Sir:" However, he had placed the man on one side of the cow to milk, and her calf on the other side to suck, and they had come away with six or eight quarts of milk from the one side of the cow. Therefore, they must not form a hasty conclusion that they had got a very bad milker, for he had often found that by letting the cow's own calf suck on one side they got double the milk from the other side. He always lets a young calf suck on one side while they milked on the other, and one of his cows called Ruby had frequently had two calves sucking, and supplied the whole of his household, consisting of 12 persons, with milk and butter. But if they had taken her calves away from her they could not possibly have got the quantity of milk. They had no idea how it encouraged a cow to give her milk by placing her calf by her side and letting it suck.—"London Agricultural Gazette.

FIRE IN MADOC.

Special to the ONTARIO.]

MADOC, April 30.

A fire was discovered this morning about half-past four o'clock in the waggon shop owned by Wm. Orr, Esq., in which he lost, besides the building, seven waggons and all his tools. The fire spread to another frame building, owned by Anson Van Norman. Mr. Orr's loss is supposed to be about $1,000. No insurance. Supposed act of incendiarism.

A MIRAGE.

Says the Rochester Express: A magnificent mirage was visible a few days since along Lake Ontario. A correspondent who writes from Sackets Harbor says: "One could see from the old battle grounds on the American shore, for fifty miles up the lake; and the Canadian shore from the mouth of the St. Lawrence river to the False Ducks Islands at the mouth of the Bay of Quinte, was in full sight. Stony and Gallup Islands, twelve miles distant, looked so near that the houses could be plainly seen on them.

—The lazy man now sits on the woodpile and thanks heaven he can bask in the sun and keep warm, without exerting himself more than to strike a match on his pants.

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Asylum for the Insane, Kingston.

About 1,400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 80 Tons Hard Coal.

Central Prison, Toronto.

About 650 Tons of Soft Coal, and 40 Tons of Hard Coal.

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About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 50 Tons of Hard Coal.

Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville.

About 400 Tons of Soft Coal, and 30 Tons of Hard Coal.

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J. W. LANGMUIR,
Inspector of Asylums, Prisons, &c.,
for the Province of Ontario

Toronto, April 17th, 1877. 3tawtd

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THE Annual Examination of Teachers for the County of Hastings will be held in

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MONDAY, 9th JULY, at 9 a.m., for First Class, and at 1:30 p.m. for Second Class.

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Forms of notice to be previously given by the candidates can be obtained from the undersigned. These must be returned not later than June 1st.

JOHN JOHNSTON,
Inspector S. Hastings.
W. MACKINTOSH,
Inspector N. Hastings.

April 23, 1877. d1&w2t

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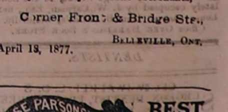
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Travellers' Guide

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

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No. Express, ...	6.50 a m
No. Express,..	..6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express, ...	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,..	..12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	..2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m.. and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other laces named at about 11 a. .

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 30.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Town Council.—A regular meeting of the Council takes place this evening at the usual time and place.

Close Season.—The close season for pickerel and maskinonge in this district begins to-morrow.

Home Again.—The session at Ottawa having been brought to a close our members have returned home.

Station Lodgers.—Nineteen tramps have been provided with lodgings at the police station since Saturday.

The Murchison Club—The monthly meeting of this club will be held in the Shire Hall this evening at 7:30.

New Time Table.—A new time table has been issued by the G. T. R. There is no material change in the hours of arrival or departure from this station.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will perpetuate its popularity by its judicious reduction of rates from $4.00, to its present rates of $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

Special Meeting—A special meeting of the Quoit Club will be held at Mr. Diamond's law-office this evening at half-past seven o'clock.

Temperance.—Mrs. Youmans of Picton will deliver a lecture on "Temperance" in the Town Hall this evening at eight o'clock.

Licenses.—All persons entitled to license for the sale of liquor in the West Riding of Hastings should bear in mind that the licenses must be taken out before the 1st of May.

English Mail.—The S. S. "Sardinian" from Liverpool on the 19th, arrived at Father Point yesterday, with 52 saloon, 27 intermediate and 192 steerage passengers.

Convenient alike to the business centre and the best resident portion of Philadelphia, and conducted as a model first-class hotel, the Colonnade has achieved a deserved and enduring popularity.

Base Ball.—The "Silver Leafs," of Napanee, and the "Clippers," of Belleville, will play a match on the Queen's Birthday. The home club will have to be in good form to beat their adversaries.

The "Oswego Belle."—This popular steamer will commence running between Belleville and Oswego next week. She will leave Napanee for this place on the 8th of May.

Attempted Incendiarism—Attempts were made on Wednesday evening last to burn three buildings in Napanee. Fortunately, in each instance the flames were discovered at an opportune moment and were readily extinguished.

Silver Plating.—Mr. Thomas Cheevers is now prepared to receive orders for silver plating, which he guarantees to do in first class style. A specimen of his work shown us to-day, was an excellent sample of the plating art, being very neatly and finely finished.

The Separate School Elections—These cases were called this morning when it was expected that an amicable settlement would have been made, but Rev. Father Murphy declined. The expected settlement fell through and both cases now stand adjourned until the 14th inst., to be fought out to the bitter end unless better counsels prevail.

Back-Country Items.—Mr. Buck is experiencing considerable difficulty in bringing his drive down the river, owing to obstructions in the stream in the vicinity of Flinton.—Mining operations will be prosecuted this season in the neighborhood of Flinton, as the Hott Mine and that on Reid's farm will be worked.—Farmers generally have been very busy during the past two weeks, and are confident of reaping abundant harvests.

Gone to Grass—The Dunkin Act goes into force in the County of Lennox to-morrow, and therefore no licenses have been issued this year. Many residents of Napanee think the passage of this law will have a tendency to injure the trade and progress of the town; one man in particular one day last week having gone so far as to sow grass seed in the streets, emblematic of the fall of the town under the reign of Dunkin.

Yachting Note.—The yacht "Resolute" was launched this morning from the building adjoining Clarke's blacksmith shop. The work of placing her in the water, though not difficult was tedious, about two hours being consumed in the work. She will be fitted out with as little delay as possible. The "Katie Gray" and "Surprise" will be launched tomorrow. Dow Claus, of Brighton, is building a yacht which it is expected will be very fast. A yacht association has been formed at Brockville, and the Governor General is to be asked to give a medal for competition

Marine News.—The scow *Sea Bird* passed up yesterday, light. The schooner *Highland Beauty*, arrived from Kingston, light. The schooner *Nellie P. Downey*, left on Saturday for Oswego with a cargo of rye. The schooner *William Elgin* with lumber for Oswego passed down yesterday; on her second trip. The *O. S. Storrs* also passed down yesterday. There are no changes in freight rates. The tug *Hiram A. Calvin* when leaving the harbor yesterday, ran on an old sunken pier and carried off one of the buoys. She also endeavored to carry off the G. J. R. dock but was unable to do so. She had a tow of timber for Calvin & Breck.

Coroner's Inquest.—On Monday, the 23rd inst., a boy of Alexander Lindsay, about five years old, living with his aunt in the 12th Con. Hungerford, wandered from his home; and although the father and neighbors made diligent search both night and day he was not found until the Thursday following. He was lying on a rock apparently as if he had lain down to rest. It seems after leaving home he had taken off his pantaloons and must have wandered through briars and brush, as his feet, legs, and hands were completely covered with scratches, and there was a large contusion over the left eye. On account of these marks the father on his arrival filed an affidavit before Dr. Pomeroy, praying for an investigation. An inquest was therefore held on Friday by Dr. Pomeroy. Verdict of the jury:—"Death from cold and exhaustion"

MAY MAGAZINES.

Belford's comes to hand with an excellent bill of fare as usual, and is a fresh and blooming as a May flower. The illustrations add very much to attractiveness of this excellent Canadian Magazine. Belford Bros., Toronto.—$3,00 a year in advance; 30cts. a number.

New Dominion Monthly.—This is an old favorite with the Canadian public, and never comes without a feast of good things. The number before us is fully equal to any of its predecessors. John Dougall & Son, Montreal.—$1,50 per annum: 15cents per copy.

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Monday, April 30.

LARCENY.

Angus Dominique and Clarke Taylor appeared on remand, charged with the larceny of a quantity of pig-iron.

After hearing the evidence, the case against the first named was dismissed; that against Taylor being adjourned till 3 p. m.

ASSAULT.

John Burke for assaulting William Weese was fined $3 00 and costs.

CHANCERY SITTINGS.

(Before Hon. Chancellor Spragge.)

Monday, April 30.

Elvert vs. Elvert.—A Bill was filed in this case for alimony. A decree, by consent, was filed allowing the Pltff $6.00 per month, the land to be sold and one third of the proceeds to be invested for the benefit of the Pltff. E Fitzgerald, Q C and S B Burdett for Pltff; Hon L Wallbridge, Q C for Deft.

Clark vs Long.

Roblin vs Long.—These cases stand over for further evidence.

C P & M Railway vs Machar.—A Bill is filed in this case praying the Court to declare the Defts Trustees of a valuable ore bed in the Township of Marmora, for the benefit of the Pltffs. The case is still at hearing.

Hon Sidney Smith, Q C and C Moss for Pltffs; E Fitzgerald, Q C, Machar, Dickson and McDonald for Defts.

RIOT IN QUEBEC.

THE MOB VICTORIOUS.

A telegram from Quebec on Saturday says:—"At a meeting of the City Council last night a series of resolutions adopted at a public meeting in St. Roche's the previous evening, were presented.

The City Hall and the galleries of the Council Chamber were packed with people who commenced a disturbance as soon as the resolutions were read. Finding the police force powerless to restrain the mob, Mayor Murphy sent a request to Colonel Strange for the assistance of B Battery, which body was at once marched down to the City Hall, but they were not called upon to act, and remained passive spectators of what followed. The mob finally forced their way into the Council Chamber, and the Mayor hastily adjourned the sitting, and the rioters took complete possession, upsetting stoves, chairs, etc., and doing all the mischief in their power. By this time there were over a thousand men and boys gathered in front of the City Hall, evidently bent on mischief.

Mayor Murphy addressed them from the steps of the main entrance, informing them that their remonstrances would be duly considered, and advising them to separate and go home peaceably. A double alarm of fire was sounded from St. Roche's and the hose reels ran out to try and attract the crowd, but without effect. Stone throwing then commenced, and after demolishing the windows of the City Hall the mob finally dispersed.

This and That.

—The bread eaten by the people of the city of Ottawa is made from grain grown in the United States.

—The grain fleet now about leaving Chicago for Buffalo and other lower lake ports has nearly two million bushels of grain on board.

—The fine boats of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company, will commence their regular trips from Hamilton and Montreal on the 2nd of May.

—The Grand Trunk has contracted with a Cleveland firm for the delivery of 30,000 tons of Tuscarora coal at Brockville. So says the *Recorder*.

—An organ has been ordered from a St. Louis firm for the new Episcopal Church in St. Thomas, and will be in position by the 1st of August.

—Captain George Baker, aged eighty five, died at Hudson on Sunday morning. He is believed to have been the oldest Free Mason in the United States.

—The "Times" understood that the Queen has signified her intention of knighting Mr. Sandford for his service as commissioner to the Philadelphia Exhibition.

—A Philadelphia publishing house is about to issue a work entitled "Historic and Picturesque St. Lawrence River." The work will contain a concise history of the leading towns between Kingston and Quebec.

—The unfortunate man Jinkens, who had his head split open with an axe in the hands of Henry Bell, on Tuesday last, in the township of Etobicoke, near Weston, died yesterday afternoon at three o'clock.

—Children are sent into the world to teach us how lovely angels are; but when a man finds himself pasted to the seat of a chair by a piece of spruce gum he never thinks of this.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Strength of forces in the Field.

BOSNIA TO BE CEDED TO AUSTRIA.

New York, April 29.—The *Herald's* St. Petersburg correspondent states:—Intense enthusiasm prevails throughout the Czar's dominions. Russia has 300,000 men on the Danube, and 125,000 men on the Caucasus, while the opposing forces of the Turks are 100,000 along the Danube, and 50,000 or less in Asia Minor. Both sides exhibit weakness in skilled generals, and the position in Roumania is unfortunate.

Austria and Russia are contemplating an agreement whereby Bosnia will be ceded to Austria

The *Herald's* Vienna despatch says of the three Russian columns marching into Armenia only one has met with serious resistance a few miles from Bayjazid, where there was extensive fighting yesterday.

Persia has 20,000 men ready to join Russia.

Bucharest, April 23.—The Turks crossed the Danube to-day near Silistria. A severe engagement is expected.

Ragusa, April 29.—Numbers of troops left Trebinje, Sienitza and Scutari to-day to attack the Montenegrins.

London, April 29.—A Pera special announces that the Persian Minister officially assured the Grand Vizier that Persia has entered into no engagements with Russia against Turkey.

Hobart Pasha is unable to come down the Danube on account of torpedoes, and returns to Constantinople *via* Varna.

A Paris correspondent remarks:—Greece only delays declaring war until the Russians cross the Danube.

A Vienna despatch reports that Austria has clearly intimated at both St. Petersburg and Vienna the point beyond which the extension of the war would interfere with her interests.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

ADVANCE OF RAILWAY FREIGHTS

REDUCTION OF PUBLIC DEBT.

THE PRESIDENT'S SOUTHERN POLICY.

ENGLAND'S NEUTRALITY

50,000 Troops for Egypt.

Greece Sending Her Troops to the Turkish Frontier.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 30.—The permanent exhibition will be opened May 10th in the Main Centennial Building with inaugural ceremonies, attended by the President, members of the Cabinet, Gen. Grant, and the Governor of the State.

Chicago, April 30.—An advance of 5c. is ordered on fourth-class railroad freights, making the rate 45 to Boston, 38 to Philadelphia, 37 to Baltimore, and 35 to Albany and Troy.

Boston, April 30.—The Moody and Sankey revival closed yesterday. $5,000 remains to be raised to clear the indebtedness. Efforts are being made to prolong the services.

The public debt reduction for April will be $3,500,000 with $33,000,000 in the Treasury.

The *Tribune* says the President desires a full discussion of his Southern policy at the extra session, so that the public mind may be relieved.

The appointment of King as New Orleans Collector solves the judicial difficulty in Louisiana. King was a member of the Packard Court. His appointment as collector leaves the Court with only two members, not a quorum, which effects its dissolution. It is reported that King will give Kenner, Casonave, and the friends of Wells, of the Returning Board, minor appointments in the Custom House.

New York, April 30.—The Hope Methodist Chapel, after 12 year existence, was closed yesterday for lack of funds. The farewell services were touching and impressive.

A London despatch reports England has issued a neutrality proclamation on the Eastern question.

London, April 30.—It is officially announced at the War Office that the Government has made preparations to send 50,000 men out to Egypt. Of this 25,000 will be from England and 25 000 from India. A commissiariat and medical staff are also ready to leave.

London, April 30.—Russia has notified the Powers that the Danube will be blocked after May 7th from Orsora to the mouth of the river.

The Turkish budget shows a deficit of £4,500,000.

London, April 30.—Despatches from Vienna say the main body of the Russian army, marching between Batoum and Kars, is supposed to be advancing on Erzeroum.

Greece is directing a number of her troops toward the Turkish frontier.

British iron clads stationed at Malta have sailed for Corfu.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

ENGLISH SHIPS TO BE PUT IN READINESS.

Blockade of the Danube.

HONORS TO GEN. GRANT.

London, April 30.—All neutral vessels have left Galatz. Navigation on the Danube is stopped. It is anticipated that serious complications will arise in the event of the Russian fleet returning to the Mediterranean from China, as it is reported Russia will demand the passage of the fleet through the Suez Canal.

New Bedford, Mass., April 30.—The Walsutta Mills were reopened this morning. A large number of operatives went in. The entire police are on duty to prevent rioting.

Boston, April 30.—James Hurd, at North Wear, New Hampshire, yesterday left his insane wife in charge of their son aged 10 During his absence she killed the boy with an ax and hanged herself.

London, April 30.—The *Times* says:—The orders to the Devonport dock-yard are to press forward the necessary works on commissioned and non-commissioned ships with all speed, and to direct sole attention to such necessary works, leaving all else for future completion.

New York, April 30.—A London despatch reports that Russia has notified the Powers that the Danube will be blockaded after the 7th of May from Orsova to the mouth of the river. It is announced at the War Office that the Government has made prepar[illegible]tions to send 50,000 men at a moment's notic[illegible] to Egypt—25,000 from England and 25,000 [illegible] India.

New Haven, Conn., April 30.—Levi [illegible]ison Gilbert, aged 81, a wealthy ci[illegible] committed suicide by shooting yesterday. He invented the atmospheric system of attaching dental plates.

Philadelphia, April 30.—A grand farewell reception to General Grant will be given here May 15th. The municipal authorities will tender the freedom of the city, and Independence Hall will be opened for his public reception.

Died

On the 30inst., May Ethel Jacker, aged one year and one month.

Funeral from the father's residence Moira St. at 4 o'clock on Tuesday.

COMMERCIAL.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange, Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, April 30.

Greenbacks buying at..........................	92½
" selling at............	94
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver...........................	15
Sterling exchange	87½

Gold opened at 106⅞; closed at 106⅞.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, April 30.

Flour—Receipts 4,460 barrels. Sales, 800 barrels. Market quiet excited no change Sales, 100 strong bakers at 8.45; 200 extra choice at 8 90; 100 American Patent at 10.50; 400 Ontario bags at 4 10; 100 fine at 7.60. Grain and provisions unchanged.

Ashe—Pots easier firsts 4,15 to 4,20.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 30, 1877.

Hogs—Receipts 10,250. Shipments 3,460. Market Very quiet selling 5 to 10c, lower; light grades selling at 5 35 to 5 40, heavy packing at 5:30 to 5.70; choice shipping at 5.60 to 6 00.

New York Markets.

New York, April 30, 1877.

Gold—106⅞.

Cotton—Quiet, 10½

Flour—25 to 50 cents better. Receipts, 13,000 barrels; sales, 11,000 barrels.

Rye Flour—Firm $6 50 to $6.75.

Wheat—Quiet No. 2 Chic. at $1.97 to $1.80. Receipts 16,000; sales none.

Rye—Advancing, $1,05 to $1.10.

Corn—Excited 1c higher. Rects. 191,000 bush. sales 120,000 bush. at 65 to 70c, and 72½ and 72to 75.

Barley—Scarce firmer. Receipts 26,000 bushels, sales 31,000 bush. at 50c. to 60c, and 56c to 68c.

Oats—Firmer. Receipts 23,000 bush; sales 29,000 bush. 48 to 63c for mixed; 54 to 68

Pork—Less firmer at 16.50.

Lard—Easier at 10.32½.

Butter—10 to 18c for old; 13 to 25c new

Cheese—7 to 14c.

Petroleum—Crude 9⅞c; refined 15½.

A SENSE OF WEARINESS is often felt by persons who cannot locate any particular disease. If they work it becomes labor; if they walk, they soon tire; mental efforts become a burden, and even joys are dimmed by the shadow of this weakness which is cast over their lives. Recourse is had sometimes to stimulants of a dangerous character. The advice of physicians to refrain from active labor produces no happy results. Why? The system is debilitated and needs to be built up properly. Peruvian Syrup will do this very thing. Like the electric current, it permeates the entire system, and harmonizing with the corporeal functions, it rises up the enfeebled, and brings the color to the cheek again, and hope to the despondent. It does its work promptly and well. Sold by all druggists.

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Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

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April 28, 1877. 3i

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AFRAID OF THE DEVIL.

(From the Pall Mall Gazette, April 11.)

A painful scene appears, by the account given of it in the Stirling Journal to have occurred on Sunday, last week, in a church near Gartmore, in that county. The minister, who is in the habit of warning his congregation on special occasions against the machinations of the evil one, was delivering a discourse on his favorite theme, when suddenly a large window blind and roller behind the pulpit lost its hold, falling right over the preacher, and completely concealing him for a time from his flock. In its descent the roller smashed a number of window panes, and the clatter of the falling glass added panic to the already terrified condition of the enshrouded preacher. Ignorant of the cause of the sudden darkness and horrible noise, he thought he might have exceeded the bonds of discretion in his denunciation of the devil, who had thereupon arrived hastily in person, bent on retaliation. A fearful shriek of "I am gone!" echoed through the church, and the maddened preacher with one bound cleared the pulpit, nor never stopped until he reached the extreme corner of the edifice. It may be well imagined that the suddenness of this alarming incident and its dramatic nature exercised a most powerful effect on the nerves of all who witnessed it. Fortunately there was no general panic, or the consequence might have been serious; but the story should be a lesson to those ministers who touch upon the delicate question of the personality of the devil to retain their self-possession under any circumstances, and not to leave the pulpit unless absolutely ejected from it by force.

A WORD TO THE GIRLS.

Young men are not always absolutely rich. They have not, as a general thing, more money than they know what to do with. But many young ladies must be ignorant of the fact and believe all their beaux to be young millionaires. Of course, thoughtful, modest, well-taught ladies, even in their teens, quite understand how to behave to gentlemen who offer them attentions; but there are others, and many of them who dress as well and are as pretty, who behave in such a way that after knowing them a little while young men grow absolutely afraid of girls.

A young man with moderate means will invite one of these young ladies to some place of amusement, and afterwards offer refreshments. In most countries he could not do this, but American parents have great confidence in their daughters, and here it is permissible. After the entertainment he generally asks her to take some refreshments. And now, rash youth, he has placed himself entirely in that girl's power. If she is a lady, he is safe; for, having had the *carte* placed in her hands, she will signify her wish for nothing more expensive than a cream and cake; but if she is *not* a lady at heart, she may run her eye over the bill and give an order which will empty his pockets. The thing has been done more than once or twice, as as many a young man can testify; and it is an exceptional young man who has courage enough to say to the girl: "That is beyond my means."

On the whole, it would be better for girls, as a general thing, to decline refreshments entirely. The evening's entertainment and walk or ride home are quite as pleasant without them. And "tickets" generally tax a poor young man's purse sufficiently without a suplementary confectioner's bill. He knows it, too, but he would not be thought mean; and so, some time or other, he is almost sure to be placed in a mortifying position. A good many men have learnt this, and it is one of the reasons why "attentions" flag and gentlemen go by themselves to places of amusement, instead of asking their lady friends, who must often be stuffed like a Strasbourg goose afterwards.

KISSING.

Alexander Smith seems to have been electrified by a kiss; one made him feel as if he were "walking on thornes," a figure quite as remarkable as the old deacon's, who, upon taking too much cider-brandy, likened his sensations to being on top of a meeting-house and having every shingle turned into a jews' harp. But let us hear Alexander:

"My soul leaped up beneath thy timid kiss;
What then to me were groans,
Or pain—or death? Earth was a round of bliss,
I seemed to walk on thornes!"

But it was reserved for an editor to make the manner of kissing a business. His recipe is appetizing and would do honor to the finest cookery book. He says: "Of course you must be taller than the lady you kiss, take her right hand in yours, draw her so gently toward you that you do not derange the economy of her tippet or ruffle—your left arm will find its place without instruction; at the same time the lady will throw her head back, and you have nothing to do but to lean a little forward—and the thing is done. Don't make a noise about it, as if you were firing percussion caps; dont pounce down like a hungry hawk after an innocent dove—but silently revel in the sweet blissfulness of your opportunity, without smacking your lips as you would over a bowl of turtle soup, or the glorious appearance of a well roasted duck."

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